Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the Week ending 20th February 1856.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
Proprietors' Capital, ...	1,07,00,000	0	0	Government Securities, ...	25,18,798	5	10
Reserve Fund, ...	1,98,245	8	4	Dues from Government, ...	35,371	2	7
Current Accounts, ...	79,37,666	9	4	Mint Certificates, Undue, ...	37,30,676	13	11
Cash Credits Undrawn, ...	11,32,539	0	0	Cash, ...	73,85,943	6	6
Other Claims, ...	1,67,495	7	10	Loans on Deposit of Securities, ...	1,47,00,033	4	2
Bank Notes and Post Bills, ...	1,31,60,956	9	6	Accounts of Credit on ditto, ...	22,68,392	8	1
				Government Bills Discounted, ...	95,039	6	4
				Mercantile Bills ditto, ...	24,00,132	6	9
				Dead Stock, ...	1,62,517	12	10
	Co.'s Rs. ... 3,32,96,903	3	0	Co.'s Rs. ... 3,32,96,903	3	0	

C. N. COOKE,
Accountant.

Published by order of the Directors,
J. B. PLUMB,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China

CALCUTTA BRANCH.

RATES OF EXCHANGE
ON LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK.

	s.	d.	
At 6 months' sight, ...	2	2	per Rupee.
At 3 months' sight, ...	2	1½	"
At 3 days' sight, ...	2	1	"
On Scotland, or Ireland on demand, ..	2	1	"

The Bank grants Drafts and Letters of Credit on the Head Office at Bombay and on its Branches and Agencies at the following places, London, Ceylon, Madras, Singapore, Canton, and Shanghai. Bills collected at any of the above places at a uniform charge of ½ per cent.

For the convenience of parties travelling through Europe, Egypt and the Australian Colonies, the Bank issues Circular Notes payable in all of the principal towns in those countries.

The Bank will act as Agents for the purchase or sale of Government Paper, Bank Stock and other Securities; Draw Interest and Dividends payable in Calcutta, when due. Commission charged ¼ per cent.

No charge made when the proceeds of sale or amount of Interest or Dividends drawn is remitted in the Bank's Bills.

Government Paper and other Securities received for safe custody, free of charge, to the constituents of the Bank.

Rates of Interest allowed

ON DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO

3 months' notice of withdrawal,...	4	per Cent.	per annum
6 Ditto, ...	5	"	
12 Ditto, ...	6	"	

Notice may be given when the money is lodged or at any time thereafter, but will be dispensed with in cases when the money is to be remitted through the Bank.

Current Accounts kept, and on Balances of Rs. 500 and upwards, Interest at 2 per cent. per annum will be allowed.

N. B.—Hours of business 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. On Saturdays 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

D. T. ROBERTSON,
Manager.

LYONS' RANGE;
Calcutta,
The June 1855.

Agra and United Service Bank.

THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA having, by Notification of 25th January 1855, signified its intention to dissolve its existing connexion with the Government Agency, the AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK will, on being furnished with the necessary powers, receive charge of Government Paper and Bank Shares from the Agent, and realize the Interest when due and Dividends when declared. The Bank will also sell or invest in these Securities for Constituents.

Forms of Letters and Powers of Attorney may be obtained on application to the Bank at Calcutta, or its Branches at Agra and Lahore.

When the proceeds of Government Paper or Shares sold, or of Interest and Dividends realized, are remitted by the Bank's Drafts on England, or on its Indian Branches, no Commission will be charged.

If otherwise paid, or when the Paper or Shares are delivered over, the charge for Commission will be ¼ per cent.

HOURS OF BUSINESS.

From and after Wednesday, the 1st August from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when the Bank will be closed at 1 P. M.

FRANCIS R. NEILSON,
Secretary.

No. 2, Council-House Street,
Calcutta, 30th January 1855.

London and Eastern Banking Corporation.

REFERRING to the Government Notification No. 5, dated Fort William, Financial Department, 24th January 1855, giving notice of the intention of Government to withdraw the authority hitherto granted to the Government Agent at Fort William, and to the Accountants General and the Sub-Treasurers at Fort Saint George and Bombay, to act as Agents on behalf of Proprietors of Government Securities, or Shares in the Capital Stock of the Banks of Bengal, Madras or Bombay respectively.

THE LONDON AND EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION offers to receive charge and undertake the safe custody of any Government Securities and Certificates of Shares in the Bank of Bengal, and other local stock, which the Proprietors may wish to deposit with the Bank; and will receive the interest on such Government Securities, and the dividend on such Bank-share certificates, and other local stock, as it falls due, and either remit

the amount of such Interest and Dividend to England in Bills of the Bank, or pay the amount as Proprietors may desire.

The London and Eastern Banking Corporation will also receive remittances for investment in Government Securities, Bank of Bengal Shares and other stock, and will negotiate the sale of such Securities and stock, when required to do so.

One quarter per cent. commission will be charged on the sale or purchase of Government Securities and Bank stock, &c., and on realizing Interest and Dividends. But when the proceeds of Government Paper or other stock, or the Interest or Dividends on the same, are to be remitted through the Bank, *no commission will be charged.*

J. MACKELLAR,
Manager, Calcutta Branch.

London and Eastern Banking Corporation
Calcutta, January 30,1855.

India General Steam Navigation Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office on Monday, the 10th of March next, at 3 P. M., for passing the Accounts and declaring a Dividend.

By order of the Directors,

J. F. STACE,
Secretary.

CALCUTTA,
26th January 1856.

Assam Company.

GENERAL MEETING OF PROPRIETORS.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Meeting of Proprietors will be held at the Company's Office on Thursday, the 28th instant, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when the Report of the Directors and the Accounts for the past year will be submitted.

The Accounts will be open for the inspection of Proprietors on and after the 21st instant.

By order of the Directors,

L. E. CARTER,
Offg. Secretary.

No. 1, BARRETTO'S LANE;
Calcutta, 20th February 1856.

Notice.

THE Partnership heretofore existing, and carried on, under the style or firm of STEWART AND CALROW, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstandings will be settled by WM. C. STEWART.

WM. C. STEWART.
R. F. CALROW,
By his Attorney,
WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
31st December 1855.

THE undersigned will continue the business as heretofore under the firm of WM. C. STEWART & Co.

WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
1st January 1856.

Notice.

THE interest and responsibility of MR JOHN WIENHOLT ceased in our firm on the 31st ultimo.

WIENHOLT, BROTHERS AND Co.

1st January 1856.

Notice.

WANTED.—A Superintendent of Roads qualified to prepare Plans and Estimates of Works proposed, and to undertake the superintendence of Works in progress under the direction of the Maldah Ferry Fund Committee. Proposed salary; 50 Rs. per month. Satisfactory certificates of qualification or references and security will be required. Applications to be addressed to the undersigned.

E. C. CRASTER,
Secy. to the Ferry Fund Committee.

MALDAH;
Secy. F. F. Committee,
The 29th Jany. 1856.

Lost or Missing.

From the Dwelling House of the under-mentioned, certain Title Deeds, Pottah, &c. of the House, No. 27, in Zig-Zag Lane, and also all the Title Deeds, Deeds, &c. of the House No. 27-1, adjoining the former, both standing in the name of his late father Mothoormohun Ghose.—Any person giving information as to lead to their recovery shall be (if required) suitably rewarded.

GOLUCK CHUNDER GHOSE.
No. 17, Puttotollah Lane.

LOST.—Second Half of Bank of Bengal Note, No. 16616, for Co.'s Rs. 50, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

LOST.—A Co.'s 4 per cent. Loan No. 6827, of 12846, of 1842-43, dated 1st February 1843, for Co.'s Rs. 700. A reward to the finder.

LOST.—The Halves of two Bank of Bengal Notes No. 42112, and No. 08790, for Co.'s Rs. 25 each, the payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

LOST.—Half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 08381, for Company's Rupees (50) Fifty, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

"THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1854,"
Price 5 Rupees.
Apply at the Office of the *Bengal Hurkaru.*

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[BY MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK AND Co.]

THE

NEW BENGAL DIRECTORY FOR 1856.

IN announcing the above Publication, Messrs. SAMUEL SMITH AND Co. beg to inform their Subscribers and the Public that they have completed their DIRECTORY for the present year which, in every Department of Information or Reference, has been amplified and corrected up to the latest date, and which, for convenience of Form, comprehensiveness, and elegance, considerably surpasses its predecessor of 1855.

Post Office Notifications.

No. 1134.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an After Packet for the P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Bentinck* will be made up at this Office on Saturday, the 23d instant, at 1 P. M., with the chance of overtaking her at Kedgeree.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM;
General Post Office,
The 19th February 1856.

N. B.—The public are particularly requested to observe, that, in addition to Steam Postage, the Inland Postage to Kedgeree must be pre-paid at the following rates, on letters forwarded to Egypt or to any Foreign Ports *vid* Egypt:—

¼ Tolah,	0 0 6
½ Ditto,	0 1 0
1 Ditto,	0 2 0
1½ Ditto,	0 3 0
2 Ditto,	0 4 0

And for every Tolah or fraction of a Tolah above two Tolahs two additional annas.

Letters sent after 1 o'clock, for the purpose of being posted, will not be received under any circumstances.

No. 1140.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in consequence of the departure of the Steamer *Chusan*, having been postponed, the Mails for the Straits and China will be closed at this Office, on Saturday, the 23rd instant.

FORT WILLIAM;
General Post Office,
The 21st February 1856.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

No. 4149.

Notice.

THE under-mentioned Parcels and Books posted at the Calcutta General Post Office, for despatch by Banghy on the 3rd ultimo, were lost in transit on the 5th idem between Dum-Dum and Baraset:—

1	Service Parcel,	weighing 80	Tolahs,	addressed to the Judge of Backergunge.
1	"	80	"	" " " " Jessore.
1	"	80	"	" Principal Sudder Ameen, Furreedpore.
1	"	30	"	" Superintendent of Survey, Jessore.
1	"	48	"	" Joint Magistrate, Pubna.
1	"	23	"	" Magistrate, Backergunge.
1	"	23	"	" " Jessore.
1	"	23	"	" Joint Magistrate Furreedpore.
1	Bearing Europe Paper	13	"	" Mrs. R. Smith, Jessore.
1	"	14	"	" P. Durand, Magoorah.
1	"	15	"	" E. S. Pearson, Pubna.
1	"	13	"	" T. H. Ravenshaw, Backergunge.
1	"	13	"	" " "
1	"	13	"	" G. C. O'Gorman, Serajgunge.
3	Stamped Pamphlets	324	"	" Address not known, Jessore.
17 Totals,				

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-Master General.

Calcutta; General Post Office, the 20th February 1856.

Postal Notice.

A POST OFFICE will be established temporarily at Mhayjee, in Khandeish, during the ensuing Fair, from the 15th instant to the 15th March next. All Letters, &c. for that place are to be enclosed in the Packets for the Post Office at Dhoolia.

(Signed) W. BLOWERS,
Officiating Post-master General.

BOMBAY;
Post-master Genl.'s Office,
The 16th Jan. 1856.

No. 4760.

THE above is notified for the information of the Public.

J. R. B. BENNETT,
Post-master General of Bengal.

Post-master General's Office;
Camp Chittagong, 7th Feb. 1856.

Comparative Statement showing the Rates at which the Letter Mails were conveyed between Calcutta and Benares, and between Benares and Peshawur in the month of December 1854, *and the corresponding month of* 1855.

Divisions of the line.		Distance.	Rate attained per hour.						REMARKS.
			December 1854.			December 1855.			
From.	To.		M.	F.	P.	M.	F.	P.	
Calcutta	to Benares, ...	422	7	4	0	10	3	14	Under P. M. G. of Bengal.
Benares	to Allahabad, ...	73	9	1	36	9	5	36	Under P. M. G., N. W. P.
Allahabad	to Cawnpore, ...	126	10	6	33	10	3	35	
Cawnpore	to Allyghur, ...	183	10	2	23	10	5	49	
Allyghur	to Delhi, ...	80	10	2	23½	10	7	12½	
Delhi	to Kurnaul, ...	75	9	5	25½	10	6	17	
Kurnaul	to Umballa, ...	40	6	3	26½	8	2	38	
Umballa	to Loodiana, ...	72	8	7	28½	9	0	2½	
Loodiana	to Lahore, ...	126	8	7	26	*a*10	4	16	
Lahore	to Jhelum, ...	108	*b*6	1	21	8	2	31	
Jhelum	to Rawul Pindee,..	80	6	6	27	9	2	10	
Rawul Pindee	to Peshawur, ...	96	6	6	28	8	0	8	
	Total, ...	1481	0	0	0	0	0	0	

a The Dec. Return not being received, that for Nov. 1855 is given.
b The Return for Dec. 1854 not received, Return for Nov. 1854 given.

N. B.—In December 1854 the Mail was conveyed the whole distance from Calcutta to Benares in Mail carts. In December 1855 it was conveyed by Railway between Raneegunge and Calcutta. In the last-named month the speed attained in each division was as follows :—

				M.	F.	P.	
Calcutta	to Raneegunge,	122	miles, by Railway, ...	10	6	36	per hour.
Raneegunge	to Burhee,	124	miles, by Mail cart, ...	9	2	6	"
Burhee	to Sherghotty,	44	miles, by ditto, ...	10	6	29	"
Sherghotty	to Benares,	132	miles, by ditto, ...	10	3	29	"
	Total, ...	422	miles average rate, ...	10	3	14	

H. B. RIDDELL,
Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, 22nd February 1856.

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Notifications.

THE 14TH MAY 1853.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, from the 1st July next, Public Officers employed under this Government are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of the Government Work from and after that date.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE 2ND FEBRUARY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, all Public Officers under the Government of India at the Presidency are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of Government Work.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1856.

No. 284.

Notification.

Fort William, Home Department,
The 26th February 1856.

The Right Hon'ble Viscount Canning is expected to arrive in Calcutta in the Hon'ble Company's Steamer *Feroze*, on Friday, the 29th instant, to assume the office of Governor General of India.

On the morning of that day, a Deputation, consisting of the Private Secretary and the Military Secretary to the Governor General, the Town Major, and two of the Governor General's Aides-de-Camp, will proceed down the river on the *Hugh Lindsay*, to wait upon Lord Canning.

When the *Feroze* shall pass Atcheepore, 5 Guns will be fired from Fort William.

The *Feroze* will anchor near the Dock Yard.

At half past 4 P. M., a Deputation, consisting of the Secretaries to the Government of India, will wait upon Lord Canning on board the *Feroze*.

Lord Canning will be conveyed from the *Feroze* to Chandpal Ghât in the Yacht *Soonamooky*, under a Salute of 19 Guns from the *Feroze*.

Lord Canning will land at Chandpal Ghât at half past 5 o'clock, or soon after that time. Upon landing at the Ghât, His Lordship will be received by the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, the Chief Magistrate of Calcutta, the Superintendent of Marine, the Master Attendant, and the Sheriff of Calcutta. When His Lordship shall land, a Salute of 19 Guns will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William.

Lord Canning will then proceed to Government House, where His Lordship will be received at the foot of the great entrance by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, and on the summit by the Governor General and the Members of the Supreme Council.

All the Civil Officers of the Government, and the whole of the Garrison and General Staff, as well as other Officers on duty at the Presidency, are requested to be in attendance at Government House, at half past 5 o'clock P. M., upon this occasion, in full uniform, or evening dress.

When Lord Canning shall have taken his seat as Governor General in Council, a further Salute of 19 Guns will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William.

By order of the Governor General in Council,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 285.

The following Garrison Order is published for general information :—

Garrison Order by the Most Noble the Governor.
Fort William, the 26th February 1856.

The under-mentioned Troops, in full dress and white trowsers, will be formed in a street extending from Chandpal Ghât to the North Gate of Government House, at 5 P. M., on the 29th instant, for the reception of the Right Hon'ble Viscount Canning :—

The Governor General's Body Guard.
Her Majesty's 53rd Regiment.
2nd (Grenadiers) Native Infantry.
31st Native Infantry.
43rd Light Infantry.
Calcutta Militia.

The whole to be under the Command of Lieut.-Colonel Powell, Commanding the Garrison.

The left of H. M.'s 53rd Regiment will rest on the North Gate of Government House.

The left of the 31st N. I. on the right of the 53rd.

The left of the Calcutta Militia on the right of the 31st.

The left of the 43rd Light Infantry on the right of the Calcutta Militia.

The left of the 2nd Grenadiers on the right of the 43rd.

The Governor General's Body Guard will continue the street of Troops from the right of the 2nd Grenadiers to the Ghât, follow Lord Canning's Carriage, and form up on the East side of Government House.

A Guard of Honor, consisting of the two Flank Companies of Her Majesty's 53rd Regiment, with the band and colours, will form inside the chains, on the East and West side of the entrance of Government House by the North Gate.

A Salute of 19 Guns will be fired from the Fort when Lord Canning lands at Chandpal Ghât, and a further Salute of 19 Guns on His Lordship's taking his seat.

The whole of the Garrison and General Staff, as well as other Officers on duty at the Presidency, are requested to be in attendance at Government House at half past 5 o'clock P. M. on this occasion in full uniform.

(Signed) C. S. REID, *Lieut.-Colonel, Officiating Town Major.*

By order of the Governor General in Council,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Legislative Council.

The 23rd February 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Most Noble the Governor General on the 22nd February 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. V OF 1856.

An Act to give effect to Act XXIII of 1854 *from the time of its promulgation in the District of Malabar, and to extend the application thereof in future.*

Preamble.

WHEREAS by a proclamation published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, under date the 18th September 1855, the Governor in Council of Fort St. George declared the whole of the District of Malabar to be subject to the operation of all the provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 ; and whereas long prior to such publication, namely, before the 1st of March 1855, the said Act had been published and promulgated throughout the District of Malabar, and was believed by the class of persons therein described as Moplas, and by all other classes of the inhabitants, to be immediately operative ; and it is expedient that the said Act should have effect according to the general belief and understanding in that respect ; and whereas it is expedient to extend the application of the said Act : It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Act XXIII of 1854 to be deemed to have been in force from the 1st of March 1855.

I. Act XXIII of 1854 shall be deemed to have been in force for all purposes from the 1st March 1855 in the same manner as if the said proclamation had been published on that date.

Provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 extended to all murders, &c. committed by Moplas.

II. From and after the passing of this Act, the provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 shall apply to any Mopla who murders or attempts to murder any person ; and to any Mopla who takes part in any outrage directed by Moplas against any person, wherein murder is committed or attempted to be committed or is likely to be committed, and to any person who shall procure or promote the commission of any such crime as aforesaid, or shall incite or encourage any other person or persons to commit the same, or who, after having committed or having been accessary to any such crime as aforesaid, shall forcibly resist any person or persons having lawful authority to apprehend him, or who shall join or assist, or incite or encourage other persons to join or assist in such resistance.

Construction of Act.

III. The said Act XXIII of 1854 and this Act shall be read and construed together as one Act.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Legislative Council.

The 16th February 1856.

THE following Bill was read a second time in the Legislative Council on the 16th February 1856, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon after the 20th of May next :—

A Bill to provide for the execution of Criminal process in places out of the jurisdiction of the authority issuing the same.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, by Act No. VII of 1854, certain provisions were made for the execution, in any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company, of warrants of arrest issued by competent officers in any other parts thereof ; and whereas it is expedient that similar means should be provided for the execution as aforesaid of all other criminal process issued as aforesaid : It is enacted as follows :—

All criminal process may be executed in any part of the territories after having been endorsed by the Magistrate of the place where it is executed.

I. Any criminal process whatever, including summonses, subpœnas, and search warrants, as well as warrants of arrest, issued by any Magistrate having jurisdiction in any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company, may be executed within the jurisdiction of any other Magistrate having jurisdiction in any part of the said territories, whether in the same Presidency or not, upon having a written authority under the hand and seal of the Magistrate within whose jurisdiction it may be executed, previously endorsed thereon.

Magistrate endorsing process not liable for illegality in the issuing thereof.

II. The Magistrate endorsing any process under this Act shall not be liable to any action or other proceeding in consequence of any illegality in the issuing of the process ; but any Magistrate illegally or improperly issuing the same shall be liable for any act in pursuance of the endorsement in the same manner, and to the same extent only, as if the process had been executed within his own jurisdiction.

Provisions of Act VII. 1854, and of this Act, applicable to process executed within limits of Supreme Court.

III. The provisions of Act No. VII of 1854, and of this Act, do and shall extend and apply to any warrant or other process of any Magistrate having jurisdiction in the territories beyond the local limits of the Supreme Courts of Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay respectively, which shall be executed within those limits. Provided that, if a Magistrate having jurisdiction within those limits shall object to endorse any warrant or other process on account

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of any apparent defect therein or for any other cause, he shall refer such warrant or other process to a Judge of the Supreme Court, who shall deal therewith according to the provisions of Act No. XXIII of 1840.

Interpretation.

IV. The word "Magistrate," as used in this Act, includes a Joint Magistrate, or any person lawfully exercising the powers of a Magistrate, and also a Justice of the Peace.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 279.

Fort William, Home Department,

POST OFFICE.

The 22nd February 1856.

Notifications.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant Mr. W. Blowers, Officiating Post-master General of Bombay, leave of absence on Medical certificate for fifteen months.

Mr. Elijah Impey, of the Bombay Medical Establishment, is appointed to officiate as Post-master General of Bombay.

No. 280.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 23rd February 1856.

The Reverend J. Blomefield, Assistant Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, reported his departure for England by the Ship *Agamemnon*, which Vessel was left by the Pilot at Sea on the 20th instant.

No. 281.

The 25th February 1856.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. R. B. Chapman to officiate as Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home and Financial Departments, during the absence on leave of Mr. J. W. Dalrymple, or until further orders.

No. 282.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant Mr. C. A. Daniell, of the Civil Service, leave of absence to Europe on Medical certificate for a period of fifteen months.

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1111.

Fort William, Foreign Department,

The 22nd February 1856.

Lieutenant F. Conybeare, Commandant of Artillery, United Malwa Contingent, has obtained leave of absence for three months, from the 17th April next, under the Rules applicable to Military Officers on Staff employ, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe.

No. 1112.

The 26th February 1856.

Madho Persaud, Extra Assistant at Loodianah, has obtained leave of absence for two months, (one month's indulgence leave and the other on private affairs,) from the 15th instant, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 1113.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Lieutenant A. H. Heath, of the Artillery, to be Timber Agent, and

Lieutenant J. Peyton, of H. M.'s 87th Foot, to be Assistant Timber Agent at Pangah.

G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 36.

Fort William, Public Works Department,

PUBLIC.

The 25th February 1856.

Notification.—The leave of absence to visit the Presidency, preparatory to applying for leave to Europe on Medical certificate, granted to Colonel R. Napier, Chief Engineer, Punjaub, in Notification No. 27, of the 11th instant, is to be considered as under the new Regulations.

No. 37.

Appointments.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Messrs. F. Green and W. J. Addis to be District Executive Engineers in the Department of Public Works in Mysore, on a consolidated salary of Rupees 500 per mensem each.

W. E. BAKER, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 560.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 21st February 1856.—Messrs. Forde and Ahmuty and Baboo Kashikishore Roy to be Members of the Ferry Fund Committee at Mymensing.

The 23rd February 1856.—Mr. G. K. Poole to be Civil Assistant Surgeon of Rungpore.

The 25th February 1856.—Mr. A. R. Thompson, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate in the District of Bhaugulpore.

Mr. R. E. Ronald to be an Assistant Commissioner in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. J. B. Shadwell to be a Sub-Assistant Commissioner in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. R. Urquhart to be Medical Officer in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. G. N. Reily to be a Member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Tumlook.

The 26th February 1856.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon A. Solomon to the charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Chittagong.

Leave of Absence.—The 25th February 1856.—Mr. F. A. E. Dalrymple, Collector of Dinagepore, for one week, in extension of the leave granted to him under Orders of the 5th ultimo.

Notification.—The 23rd February 1856.—The services of Mr. R. B. Chapman have been placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

W. GREY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.

No. 1048 of 1856.

General Department,
Agra, the 18th February 1856.

Appointments.—Major J. D. Carmichael, H. M.'s 32nd Regiment, A. D. C., to be Private Secretary to the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 1150 of 1856.

Judicial Department.

Assistant Surgeon J. P. Walker, M. D., is re-appointed Superintendent of the Agra Central Prison, from the date of re-joining.

No. 1155 of 1856.

Judicial and Revenue Department.

Mr. Adam Henry George Block to be an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of Mirzapore, with retrospective effect, from the date of his joining in that District.

No. 1157 of 1856.

Ikran Hoosain to be Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, and Deputy Magistrate under Act XV. of 1843, with the powers of a Covenanted Assistant, as described in Section XX. Regulation IX. of 1807, in Zillah Etawah.

No. 1178 of 1856.

Judicial Department.

Notification.—The following Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Foreign Department:—

Mr. Martin Richard Gubbins.
" Manaton C. Ommanney.
" Charles John Wingfield.
" George Jackson Christian.
" Frederick Shaw.
" Henry Bensley Thornhill.
" William Balmain.
" Charles Elliott Boileau.
" Adam Henry G. Block.
" William Ralph Benson.
" Henry Gonne.
" George Henry Lawrence.
" Charles Watkin Cunliffe.
" John Bensley Thornhill.

Appointments.—Mr. Robert Thornhill to be Magistrate and Collector of Etawah, but to officiate till further orders as Judge of Banda.

Mr. Andrew Ross to be Magistrate and Collector of Ghazeepoor.

Mr. Alexander Shakespear to be Magistrate and Collector of Bijnore.

Mr. Mordaunt Ricketts to be Magistrate and Collector of Shajehanpoor.

Mr. John Power to be Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Etah.

Mr. George Hamilton Freeling to be Deputy Superintendent of Jaloun, continuing also to complete the settlement duties of Pergunnah Muhoba, in Hameerpoor.

Messrs. Fergusson Floyer Hogg and Frederick Merttins Bird to be Joint Magistrates and Deputy Collectors of the First Grade.

Mr. William Henry Lowe, Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, is transferred to the District of Bareilly, and posted at Pillibheet.

Mr. Francis Charles Forbes to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, and to continue at Agra till further orders.

Mr. Alfred L. M. Phillipps to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, and to continue at Bijnore till further orders.

Mr. Robert Nisbet Lowis to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, and to be posted to the District of Budaon.

Mr. Richard Charles Oldfield to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, and to continue at Mirzapoor till further orders.

Mr. Henry Dundas Robertson to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, and to continue at Cawnpoor till further orders.

Mr. Horace Edmond Cockerell to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, and to be posted to the District of Moradabad.

Mr. William Johnstone is, as a special case, vested with the powers of a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, which he will for the present exercise in the District of Shajehanpoor.

Mr. Richard H. Clifford is, as a special case, vested with the powers of a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to be exercised for the present in the District of Etawah, subject to the result of the ensuing Examination.

Mr. Lesly Charles Probyn is, as a special case, vested with the powers of a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to be exercised for the present in the District of Mirzapoor, subject to the result of the ensuing Examination.

Mr. George Bowles Pasley is, as a special case, vested with the special powers described in Clause III. Section II. Regulation III. 1821, and Section XXI. Regulation VIII. 1831, to be exercised for the present in the District of Mynpoory, subject to the result of the ensuing Examination.

The above appointments will have effect from the 11th instant.

Mr. Robert Thornhill to officiate as Judge of Banda.

Mr. Robert Henry Wallace Dunlop to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Meerut.

Mr. Henry Godfrey Keene to officiate as Superintendent of the Dehra Doon.

No. 1207 of 1856.

The 19th February 1856.

Mr. R. C. Oldfield to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Mirzapore, during the absence on leave of Mr. H. Lushington.

No. 1216 of 1856.

Assistant Surgeon S. C. Amesbury is appointed to the Medical Charge of the Civil Station of Hissar.

No. 1214 of 1856.

Mr. C. G. Hillersdon to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Cawnpoor, till further orders.

No. 1229 of 1856.

Judicial and Revenue Department,
The 20th February 1856.

Captain H. Ramsay to be Commissioner of Kumaon.

Mr. William Christian Watson to be Senior Assistant to the Commissioner of Kumaon, in the Kumaon District.

Mr. Bazett Wetenhall Colvin to be Senior Assistant Commissioner to the Commissioner of Kumaon, in Gurhwal.

Mr. George H. Maxwell Batten to be Junior Assistant Commissioner of Kumaon.

The above appointments to have effect from the 10th instant, the date on which Mr. J. H. Batten took his departure for England.

W. MUIR,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 22nd February 1856.

No. 297 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the Force which has been ordered to be raised in Oude shall be denominated the "Oude Irregular Force," and shall consist of

3 Horse Light Field Batteries.
1 Reserve Company of Artillery.
3 Regiments of Cavalry.
10 Regiments of Infantry, including the present 1st and 2nd Regiments of Oude Local Infantry, which are transferred to the Oude Irregular Force.

The Establishment and Allowances of the Batteries and Regiments will be as detailed in the accompanying Tables.

The Oude Irregular Force is for general service throughout the Province of Oude, and beyond its limits should the exigencies of the Service require it.

Batta will be allowed to the men of the Artillery and Infantry under the Rules applicable to Local Corps.

The Artillery and Infantry will be entitled to hutting money, when unprovided with lines at the public expense.

The Native Officers and Men of the Force are admissible to invalid, and to wound and family pensions, according to the Regulations applicable to Local and Irregular Troops.

The full proportion of Camp Equipage will be attached to the Artillery and Infantry.

TABLE No. 1.

Establishment and Allowances.

	Staff.		Rs.	As.	P.
1	Brigadier, Consolidated Allowance, per mensem,		2000	0	0
1	Brigade Major and Pay Master, .. Pay and Allowances of Rank and Staff Pay,	124 0 0			
	2 Horses, ...	60 0 0			
	Office Tent, ..	30 0 0			
	Office Allowance, ...	140 0 0	354	0	0
	Staff as Pay Master, ...	150 0 0			
	Office Establishment, ...	250 0 0	400	0	0
	Bonâ fide Contingent Expenses of Office to be charged separately.				

TABLE No. 2.

Establishment and Allowances of an Oude Light Field Battery and Reserve Company of Artillery.

	LIGHT FIELD BATTERY.	*Staff Allowance or Pay.*		
1	Commandant, Pay and Allowances of Rank, with Horse Allowance 60 Rupees.			
1	Subadar, ...	52	0	0
2	Jemadars, ...each	17	0	0
8	Havildars, ...each	9	0	0
8	Naicks, ...each	7	0	0
2	Buglers, East Indian, .. With Good Conduct Pay of 1 Rupee a month after 20, and 2 Rupees after 27 years' service. Half Batta 5, es.	6	0	0
	Buglers, Native, ..each	6	0	0
122	Privates, ...each	5	8	0
1	Lascar, ...	4	12	0
2	Bheesties, ...each	4	0	0
1	Sweeper in Cantonment, or in a standing Camp, ...	4	0	0
	Battery Establishment.			
1	Rough Rider and Farrier Serjeant, Effective, Staff Allowance, ... 14 0 0; Pay.... 32 12 8	46	12	8
1	Assistant Farrier and Saddler Serjeant, Effective, Staff Allowance, 10 0 0; Pay.... 32 12 8	42	12	8
66	Syces, ...each	4	0	0
133	Grass Cutters, ...each	3	8	0
1	Tindal, ...	8	0	0
6	Store Lascars, ...each	5	0	0
1	Native Farrier, ...	7	8	0
1	Mochee, ...	6	0	0
1	Mistry Smith, ...	9	0	0
2	Filemen,.....each	5	0	0
2	Firemen, ...each	5	0	0
2	Hammermen,.....each	4	0	0
1	Mistry Carpenter,.....	11	0	0
2	Workmen Carpenters, ...each	7	0	0
3	Bullock Drivers, ...each	4	0	0
	Staff.			
1	Pay Havildar, ...Non-Effective,	5	0	0
1	Drill Naick, ...	2	8	0
	Bazar Establishment.			
1	Mutsuddy, ...	5	0	0
1	Weighman, ...	3	0	0
	Hospital Establishment.			
1	Native Doctor (Pay according to class.)			
1	Dresser or Shop Cooly, ...	5	0	0
1	Sweeper, ...	4	0	0
	Allowances.			
	Command Allowance, including Stationery and Repair of Arms, &c., ...	50	0	0
6	Contingent Gun Allowance for Guns, including Ammunition Waggons, ..each	15	0	0
4	Contingent Allowance for Store Carts and Howitzer Carriage, ...each	5	0	0
	Ditto ditto for Spare Ammunition Waggons, ...	5	0	0
133	Horses' Shoeing, &c. Allowance, for each	2	0	0
124	Harness and Saddles " " each	1	8	0
9	Saddles " " each	1	0	0
	Gram Pots	20	0	0
	Cavessons and Cotton Ropes, &c., ...	5	0	0
2	Tents, Staff Serjeants',.....each	1	0	0
10	Pauls, Lascars',.....each	0	10	0
1	Tent, European Privates', for Laboratory Stores, if specially allowed by the Inspector General of Ordnance, ...	1	0	0
	Ordnance.			
5	Nine-pounder Brass Field Guns.			
1	Twenty-four-pounder Howitzer.			
6	Ammunition Waggons.			
1	Forge Cart.			
3	Store Carts.			

Horses.

For 6 Guns, at 8 each, ...	48
6 Waggons, at 8 each,.....	48
Spare, at 1 per team, ..	12
Forge Cart, ...	6
Out-riders,.....	9
Additional, ...	10
	133

The 3 Store Carts drawn by Bullocks.

Reserve Company.

1	Subadar, ...		52	0	0
2	Jemadars, ...	each	17	0	0
6	Havildars,.....	each	9	0	0
6	Naicks,.....	each	7	0	0
2	Buglers, at the different rates of pay as in the Batteries,	....each	6	0	0
96	Privates,	....each	5	8	0
2	Bheesties, ...	each	4	0	0
1	Sweeper, ...		4	0	0
	Allowance for 1 Pay Havildar, ...		5	0	0
	" " 1 Drill "		5	0	0
	" " 2 " Naicks,	....each	2	8	0
	Command Allowance,.....		50	0	0

TABLE No. 3.

Establishment and Allowances of a Regiment of Oude Irregular Cavalry, consisting of 6 Rissalahs.

	IRREGULAR CAVALRY.		Staff Allowance or Pay.		
1	Commandant, ...	Consolidated,	1000	0	0
1	Second in Command, ...	ditto,	500	0	0
1	Adjutant, Pay and Allowances of Rank, *see* "Allowances."				
1	Assistant Surgeon, Cavalry Pay and Allowances, ... 365 4 0				
	Medical Staff Salary,... 165 0 0		530	4	0
3	Rissaldars,.....	each	150	0	0
3	Rissaidars,.....	each	80	0	0
6	Naib Rissaldars, ...	each	50	0	0
6	Jemadars, ...	each	45	0	0
6	Kote Duffadars,.....	each	35	0	0
48	Duffadars, ...	each	28	0	0
6	Nishanburdars,.....	each	28	0	0
6	Nugarchees and Trumpeters, ...	each	25	0	0
500	Sowars, ...	each	20	0	0
6	Bheesties, ...	each	4	8	0
	Staff.				
1	Woordee Major,.....	Effective	105	0	0
1	Nukeeb, ...	"	20	0	0
2	Native Doctors (according to class) *see* also "Allowances."				
1	Trumpet Major, ...	Non-Effective	5	0	0
6	Pay Duffadars,.....	" each	6	0	0
1	Persian Writer,.....		30	0	0
1	Chowdry, ...		11	0	0
1	Mutsuddy,.....		5	0	0
3	Flag or Weighmen, ...	each	3	0	0
2	Lascars in Cantonments, or				
6	" when marching or on service, ...	each	5	0	0
	Hospital Establishment.				
1	Shop Cooly, ...		5	0	0
	Allowances.				
	To the Commandant one and a half anna per month for matches.				
	" " Stationery Allowance,		30	0	0
	" Adjutant, Staff, ...		60	14	0
	Horse (with 30 Rs. additional if an Infantry Officer), ...		30	0	0
	Office, ...		80	0	0
	Native Doctors, Allowance for a horse, each,		6	8	0
	Mess Allowance, ...		60	0	0

TABLE No 4.

Establishment and Allowances of a Regiment of Oude Irregular Infantry, consisting of 8 Companies.

	IRREGULAR INFANTRY.		Staff Allowance or Pay.		
1	Commandant, Pay and Allowances of Rank, *see* also "Allowances."				
1	Second in Command, ...	Consolidated,	500	0	0
1	Adjutant and Quarter Master, Pay and Allowances of Rank, *see* also "Allowances."				
1	Assistant Surgeon, Pay and Allowances of Rank, ...	Staff Pay,	165	0	0
or					
1	Apothecary, ...	Consolidated	300	0	0
8	Subadars, ...	each	30	0	0
8	Jemadars, ...	each	15	0	0
48	Havildars, ...	each	10	0	0
48	Naicks, ...	each	8	0	0
16	Drummers. East Indian, .. With Good Conduct Pay of 1 Rupee after 20, and 2 Rupees after 27 years' service.	Half Batta 5, ea.	6	0	0
	Drummers. Native, With Good Conduct Pay of 1 Rupee after 20, and 2 Rupees after 27 years' service.	each	6	0	0
800	Sepoys, ... With Good Conduct Pay of 1 Rupee after 20, and 2 Rupees after 27 years' service.	each	5	8	0
8	Lascars, ...	each	4	12	0
8	Bheesties, ...	each	4	8	0
	Regimental Staff.				
1	Serjeant Major, ...		50	13	2
1	Quarter Master Serjeant,.....		44	13	2
2	Native Doctors, (Pay according to class.)				
1	Drum Major,	Non-Effective, each	5	0	0
8	Pay Havildars,	Non-Effective, each	5	0	0
1	Drill Havildar,	Non-Effective, each	5	0	0
1	Drill Naick,	Non-Effective, each	2	8	0
1	Chowdry, ...		11	0	0
1	Mutsuddy, ...		5	0	0
3	Flag or Weighmen, ...	each	3	0	0
2	Bildars, ...	each	3	8	0
1	Sircar,.....		15	0	0
1	Podar,.....		8	0	0
	Hospital Establishment.				
2	Cooks, ...	each	4	0	0
2	Bheesties, ...	each	4	0	0
1	Head Sweeper (including Rupees 2 for leeches,)		6	0	0
1	Sweeper,.....		4	0	0
1	Goorgah, ...		4	0	0
1	Shop Cooly, ...		5	0	0
	Allowances.				
	To the Commandant, Command Allowance, ...		200	0	0
	Horse Allowance,.....		30	0	0
	Stationery, Repair of Arms, &c., per Company, ...		25	0	0
	To the Adjutant, Staff Pay,... 60 14 0				
	Horse, ... 30 0 0				
	Office, ... 80 0 0		170	14	0
2	Tents, Staff Serjeants', ...	each	1	0	0
40	Pauls, Lascars', ...	each	0	10	0
	Mess Allowance, ...		60	0	0
	School Shed,.....		5	0	0

Fort William, 23rd February 1856.

No. 298 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Foreign Department, are published in General Orders :—

No. 1072, *dated* 22*nd February* 1856.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant D. A. Chase, 64th Regiment Native Infantry, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner in Pegu.

No. 1074, *dated* 22*nd February* 1856.—Lieutenant A. B. Cumberlege, Adjutant and Staff Officer, Nagpore Irregular Force, to officiate as an Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, in the Province of Nagpore.

No. 299 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Public Works Department, are published in General Orders :—

No. 32, *dated* 21*st February* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant to Captain T. H. Sale, Executive Engineer, Peshawur Division, an extension of leave from the 20th to the 23rd instant, to enable him to embark on board the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steamer *Bentinck*.

No. 33, *dated* 22*nd February* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following transfer :

Captain J. Young, of Artillery, Assistant Executive Officer, from the Umballah Division to the Jullundur Division, in succession to Captain Walker, who has re-joined his Regiment.

No. 300 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, are published in General Orders :—

Appointment.—19*th February* 1856.—Lieutenant A. K. Comber to officiate as a Junior Assistant to the Commissioner of Assam.

Leave of Absence—16*th February* 1856.—Captain H. Hopkinson, Commissioner of Arracan, for one month, under the Rules passed in the Military Department on the 20th of March 1851, making over charge of his Office to the Principal Assistant, Captain C. Sharp.

Notification.—20*th February* 1856.—The services of Assistant Surgeon T. G. Heathcote are placed at the disposal of the Government of India Military Department.

No. 301 *of* 1856.—The Government General Order No. 109, of the 17th January 1856, by which the services of Assistant Surgeon T. G. Heathcote were temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, is cancelled at the request of that Officer, and his services are accordingly re-placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 302 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, is published in General Orders :—

No. 1105, *dated* 16*th February* 1856.—The services of Captain J. B. Dennys, in charge of the Survey of Jawud Neemuch, are re-placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 303 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence on Sick certificate :—

Veterinary Surgeon Henry Charles Hulse, of the Governor General's Body Guard, ...	For eighteen months, under the new Regulations.

Fort William, 25*th February* 1856.

No. 304 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned individual of Her Majesty's Service is permitted to reside in India as an Out-pensioner of Chelsea Hospital, and to draw his pay at the Station specified opposite to his name, according to the 23rd Clause of the Royal Warrant of the 24th May 1847, pending a reference to the Horse Guards as to the amount of his pension :—

52*nd Foot.*—Private John Wilkinson, Calcutta.

No. 305 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to direct, that when the Commissariat Department is required to provide carriage, or to disburse money account of any other Department, the Officer on whose account such expenditure is incurred shall, without delay, on presentation of a Bill, reimburse the Commissariat Officer.

No 306 *of* 1856.—The Regimental Order issued to the 1st Punjaub Infantry, dated 11th January 1856, appointing Lieutenant W. H. Lumsden, Officiating Adjutant, to officiate also as Second in Command, in addition to his other duties, on the departure of Lieutenant E. Travers on leave, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe on Medical certificate, or until further orders, is confirmed.

No. 307 *of* 1856.—At the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, grounded on the long and meritorious services of Subadar Major and Sirdar Bahadoor Runjeet Sing, formerly of the 45th Regiment Native Infantry, the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to sanction the Brevet pay of his rank being continued to that Native Officer, from the date of his transfer to the Invalid Pension Establishment.

No. 308 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Gentlemen are admitted to the Service, in conformity with their appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, as Assistant Surgeons on this Establishment :—

Medical Department.	*Date of Arrival at Fort William.*
Mr. Theobald Mathew, M. B., ...	21st Feb. 1856.
Mr. Archibald Alexander Duncan, M. B., ...	
Mr. Charles Plank, ...	

Fort William, 26*th February* 1856.

No. 309 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to promote Subadar Kassim Ally Khan, of the Governor General's Body Guard, to the rank of Subadar Major from this date.

No. 310 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough on private affairs :—

Veterinary Surgeon Archibald Campbell Williams, of the 10th Regiment Light Cavalry, ...	For three years, under the old Rules.

No. 311 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Government of Bombay, is confirmed :—

No. 143, *of* 13*th February* 1856.—Lieutenant J. D. F. Newall, of the Bengal Horse Artillery, is allowed a Furlough to Europe for three years on Medical certificate, under the old Furlough Regulations.

No. 312 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotion :—

Medical Department.

Assistant Surgeon Richard Henry Oakley to be Surgeon, from the 10th February 1856, *vice* Surgeon James Steel, M. D., retired.

No. 313 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence on Sick certificate :—

Brigadier C. Mackenzie, (48th Regiment Madras Native Infantry) Commandant of the Southern Division, Hyderabad Contingent, ...	For fifteen months, under the new Regulations, embarking at Bombay.
Major Henry Patch, of the Invalid Establishment, ...	For three years, under the old Regulations.

No. 314 *of* 1856.—The following Lists of Rank of Cadets and Assistant Surgeons appointed for the Bengal Presidency are published for general information :—

No. 8 *of* 1855.

LIST OF RANK OF CADETS FOR THE BENGAL ARTILLERY, CAVALRY AND INFANTRY.

For the Artillery.

To rank from the 7th December 1855, the day on which they passed their Public Examination, and in the following order, provided they take their departure within the prescribed period, *viz.* :

Andrew Douie.
Richard Thomas Hare.
Charles Edward Nairne.
Hector Munro.
William Gully.

For the Cavalry.

To rank from the date of their departure from Southampton by the Overland Route, and in the following order, *viz.* :

Melville Balfour, - - - -	From the 4th December.
Charles Hay Fairlie, - - -	

For the Infantry.

To rank from the 7th December 1855, the day on which they passed their Public Examination, and in the following order, provided they take their departure within the prescribed period, *viz.* :

John Liston.
Alfred Fitz Hugh.
Robert Horace Hudleston.
William Wemyss Frewen Hay.
Malcolm George Clerk.
Frederick Peere William Freeman.
Russell Morland Skinner.

To rank from 8th December 1855, agreeably to Court's Resolution of 4th December 1833, *viz.* :

Robert Wheeler, appointed 3rd October, - - - - - - -	Overland, 4th October.

To rank from the 8th December 1855, agreeably to Court's Resolution of 4th December 1833, subject to the Regulations as to passing the prescribed Examination, *viz.* :

Thomas James Ritchie (abroad) para. appointed 14th November, - - - - - - - -	*Despatch, viâ* Southampton, 20th November.

To rank from the 8th December 1855, agreeably to Court's Resolution of 4th December 1833, and in the following order, *viz.* :

Robarts William Elton, appointed 17th October, - -	Overland, 20th November.
Francis David Millett Brown, appointed 7th November, -	
George Giles Rooke, appointed 26th September, - - - -	

To rank from the 8th December 1855, agreeably to Court's Resolution of 4th December 1833, subject to the Regulations as to passing the prescribed Examination, *viz.* :

Trewren Hutton Scott (abroad) para. appointed 21st November, - - - - - - - - -	*Despatch, viâ* Marseilles, 24th November.

To rank from the 8th December 1855, agreeably to Court's Resolution of 4th Dec. 1833, *viz.* :

William Vesey Fitzgerald Jacob, appointed 7th November, - - - - - - - - -	Overland, 4th December.

To rank from the date of their departure from Southampton by the Overland Route, and in the following order, *viz.* :

Henry Morton, - - - - -	From the 20th December.
Alfred Abercromby Dick, - -	

To rank from the date of the departure from Southampton of the Overland Mail, he having proceeded *viâ* France to join the same at Malta, *viz.* :

Edward Trower Fitzgerald, - -	From the 20th December.

(Signed) PHILIP MELVILL,
Secy., Mily. Dept.

EAST INDIA HOUSE,
28*th December* 1855.

(A True Copy)
(Signed) JAMES C. MELVILL.

EAST INDIA HOUSE,
London, 3rd January 1856.

No. 6 *of* 1855.

LIST OF RANK OF ASSISTANT SURGEONS FOR BENGAL.

To rank from the date of their appointment and in the following order, *viz.* :

Henry Walter Bellew, - - 14th November.
David Boyes Smith, M. D., 28th November.

The under-mentioned Assistant Surgeon not having sailed within the prescribed period is to be struck out of List of Rank No. 5 of 1855, and is to rank from the date of his departure from Gravesend, *viz.* :

John Boon Hayes, M. D., -	*Augustus Wattenbach,* 10th December.

(Signed) PHILIP MELVILL,
Secy., Mily. Dept.

EAST INDIA HOUSE,
28*th December* 1855.

(A True Copy)
(Signed) JAMES C. MELVILL.

EAST INDIA HOUSE,
London, 3rd January 1856.

No. 315 *of* 1856.—The following paragraphs of a Military letter, from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors to the Government of India, No. 3, dated 9th January 1856, are published for general information :—

Para. 1. We have permitted the under-mentioned Officers to return to their duty, *viz.* :

Major General H. C. M. Cox.
Captain A. H. Ternan.
" G. A. F. Hervey.
" George Moir.
Lieutenant J. H. Balmain.
" A. Key.
" J. T. Norgate.
" The Hon'ble F. B. Best.
" G. Hutchinson, *viâ* Bombay.
" W. S. Clarke.
Ensign H R. Buttanshaw.
Surgeon Thomas Leckie, M. D.

2. The permission to return granted to Lieutenant-Colonel Sherer has been cancelled in compliance with his request, and he is to be considered as on leave of absence on private affairs for three years, under the old Regulations.

3. The under-mentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave for the period specified, *viz.* :

Major T. F. Blois, - - - -	Six months.
Lieutenant E. P. Lloyd, - - -	
" A. Turnbull, - - -	
Ensign W. Playfair, - - - -	
Assist. Surgeon J. T. Glover, M. D.,	

4. Apothecary John Prince has also been granted six months' extension of leave.

5. The under-mentioned Officers have been permitted to retire from the Service from the dates specified, *viz.* :

Lieutenant-Colonel John Ludlow, Bengal Infantry, from the 9th August 1854.

Surgeon J. Colpoys Smith, from the 6th December 1855.

6. The under-mentioned Officers have been permitted to resign the Service from the dates specified, *viz.*

Captain Peter Garforth, Engineers, from the 3rd December 1855.

Lieutenant E. A. Wilde, 21st Regiment Native Infantry, from the 29th November 1855.

7. Lieutenant F. A. R. M. McGregor, 52nd Native Infantry, has been appointed to do duty with the Detachment of Recruits proceeding to Madras on the Ship *Essex*. He will be entitled to draw Indian Allowances and count service from the date of his arrival at Madras.

No. 316 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to appoint Colonel Henry Prior, of the 37th Regiment (Grenadiers,) Madras Establishment, a Brigadier of the 1st Class, and to the Command of the Nagpore Subsidiary Force, in succession to Major General Williams, whose Command will terminate on the 14th March 1856.

No. 317 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

Right Wing 1st European Bengal Fusiliers.

First Lieutenant Charles Richardson Wriford to be Captain of a Company, ...	From the 1st of February 1856, in succession to Captain Percival Robert Innes transferred to the Invalid Establishment.
Second Lieutenant James Williamson Daniel to be First Lieutenant, ...	

No. 318 *of* 1856.—The following Orders, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, are confirmed :—

No. 11, *dated 25th January* 1856.—Major Briggs, Military Secretary, being ordered, on special duty, during his absence Captain Barrow, 2nd Assistant to the Resident, will officiate, to whom all reports and letters will be addressed.

No. 26, *dated 15th February* 1856.—Consequent on the departure of Captain Barrow from Hyderabad, Major E. Brice, of the Horse Brigade Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, will officiate as Military Secretary from the 17th instant.

No. 319 *of* 1856.—With reference to Government General Order No. 938 of 1855, the under-mentioned Officer has returned to his duty on this Establishment, without prejudice to his rank, by permission of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.

	Date of Arrival at Kurrachee.
Assistant Surgeon Henry William Spry, of the Medical Department, ...	23rd Nov. 1855.

No. 320 *of* 1856.—The leave of absence from the 1st April to the 20th November 1855, granted to First Lieutenant Edmund James Goodridge, of the 4th Company 4th Battalion Artillery, in General Order by the Commander-in-Chief of the 6th April 1855, is extended from the 20th November 1855 to the 19th April 1856, to visit Kurrachee and Bombay, preparatory to applying for leave of absence on Sick certificate to Europe under the old Rules.

No. 321 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to direct that the following paragraph of a Military letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Government of India, No. 174, dated 12th December 1855, be published in General Orders :—

2.—Suggestion that the Office of Judge Advocate General may be included amongst the appointments which may be held with the rank of Major General.

Para. 2.—We accede to this suggestion, and accordingly approve of our several Governments having the power of retaining, on special grounds, to be separately reported to us, Major Generals in the Office of Judge Advocate General.

No. 322 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Surgeon A. Grant, of the Medical Establishment, Presidency Surgeon, to be Surgeon to the Presidency General Hospital.

No. 323 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough on private affairs :—

Surgeon A. Grant, Presidency Surgeon and Surgeon to the Presidency General Hospital,	For six months, under the new Rules.

The following arrangements are made during the absence of Surgeon Grant, or until further orders:—

Surgeon A. Macrae, Presidency Surgeon, will continue to officiate as Surgeon to the General Hospital.

Surgeon R. O'Shaughnessy, Professor of Surgery in the Medical College, will officiate as Presidency Surgeon.

No. 324 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence on Sick certificate :—

Brevet Major Charles Cheape, of the 51st Regiment Native Infantry, Deputy Pay-master of the Lahore Circle, ...	For fifteen months, under the new Regulations.

The leave of absence granted to Brevet Major Cheape, in Government General Order No. 1233,

of the 29th November 1855, is to be held to have effect from the 1st January 1856 to the date of sailing of the Ship *Queen*, on which that Officer will embark, instead of from the 1st December 1855 to the 1st March 1856, as formerly published.

No. 325 *of* 1856.—Captain Erskine Thomas Erskine, of the Invalid Establishment, is permitted to retire from the Service of the East India Company on the pension of his rank, from the date of departure of the Screw Steam-ship *Nubia* with the Mails of the 9th proximo.

No. 326 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant Hugh Norris Hodgson, of the 9th Regiment N. I., ... } For three years, under the old Regulations.

No. 327 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Captain F. D. Atkinson, First Assistant and Officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department, to be Deputy Secretary, with the official rank of Major, *vice* Banks, transferred to another appointment, and with effect from the 11th instant.

Major J. G. A. Rice, Second Assistant and Officiating First Assistant, to be First Assistant Secretary, *vice* Atkinson, with effect from the 11th instant.

Commissariat Department.

Captain R. C. Wroughton, Deputy Assistant of the First Class, to act as Assistant of the Second Class, during the absence on leave to Europe of Captain Hobday.

Lieutenant R. D. Macpherson, Deputy Assistant of the Second Class, to act as Deputy Assistant of the First Class, *vice* Wroughton.

Lieutenant A. D. Dickens, Sub-Assistant, to act as Deputy Assistant of the Second Class, *vice* Macpherson.

Ordnance Commissariat Department.

First Lieutenant H. R. Brownlow, of the Artillery, to officiate as Deputy Commissary of Ordnance, during the leave of absence of Lieutenant Machell, or until further orders.

Punjab Irregular Force.

Artillery.

Lieutenant G. Maister, of Artillery, Officiating Commandant of No. 2 Horse Light Field Battery, to be Commandant of No. 3, *vice* Bruce, proceeded on Furlough, but to continue with No. 2 Horse Field Battery till relieved.

1st Cavalry.

Lieutenant W. Fane, Second in Command, to act as Commandant, during the leave to Europe of Lieutenant Hughes, or till further orders.

2nd Cavalry.

Captain C. R. Fraser, Second in Command, 4th Cavalry, to act as Commandant, *vice* Browne on leave.

4th Cavalry.

Lieutenant E. L. Clogstoun, Adjutant, to act as Second in Command, *vice* Fraser.

2nd Infantry.

Lieutenant T. Frankland, of the 48th Madras Native Infantry, Second in Command, 6th Infantry, Hydrabad Contingent, to be Second in Command, *vice* Sykes, transferred to another appointment.

4th Infantry.

Lieutenant G. Kempland, of the 56th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Second in Command, *vice* Petrie, transferred to another appointment.

Corps of Guides.

Lieutenant C. J. Godby, Commandant of Cavalry and Officiating Second in Command, to be Second in Command, *vice* Hardinge, transferred to another appointment.

Lieutenant Q. Battye, of the 56th Native Infantry, to be Adjutant, *vice* Turner (deceased), but to continue to act as Commandant of Cavalry till further orders.

No. 328 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in the under-mentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
1st Regt. N. I., ..	Havildar Buctour Khan, ...	Jemadar, ..	16th Dec. 1855.	Kunniya Misser, deceased.
	Havildar Shaick Elie, ...	Jemadar, ..	29th Dec. 1855,	Rampersad Sing, deceased.
	Jemadar Radah Sing, ...	Subadar, ..	8th Jan. 1856,	Lalla Bheema, deceased.
	Havildar Lall Misser, ...	Jemadar, ..	Ditto,	Radah Sing, promoted.
	Jemadar Ramtahul Sing, ...	Subadar, ..	11th Jan. 1856,	Isseree Tewarry, deceased.
	Havildar Lall Khan, ...	Jemadar, ..	Ditto,	Ramtahul Sing, promoted.
3rd Regt. N. I.,	Jemadar Narrain Sing, ...	Subadar, ..	15th Dec. 1855,	Sewumber Sing, deceased.
	Havildar Dingopal Sing, ...	Jemadar, ..	Ditto,	Narrain Sing, promoted.
7th Regt. N. I., ..	Subadar Gungah Sing, ...	Subr. Major, ..	26th Feb. 1856	To complete the Establishment.
28th Regt. N. I., ..	Havildar Bhugwant Sing, ...	Jemadar, ..	1st Jan. 1856,	Mykoo, deceased.
56th Regt. N. I.,	Jemadar Allee Bux, ...	Subadar, ..	1st May 1855,	Aman Sing, invalided.
	Jemadar Heerahlall Pandeh, ...	Subadar, ..		Kunahaie Sing, invalided.
	Jemadar Shaick Madar Bux, ...	Subadar, .		Bhowanny Sing, invalided.
	Jemadar Jahangeer Khan, ...	Subadar, ..		Mirza Chummun Beg, invalided.
	Havildar Shaick Khoodah Bux, ...	Jemadar, ..		Allee Bux, promoted.
	Havildar Doorgahpursaud Missur, ...	Jemadar, ..		Herahlall Pandeh, promoted.
	Havildar Kootub Khan, ...	Jemadar, ..		Shaick Madar Bux, promoted.
	Havildar Sewdeen Sing, ...	Jemadar, ..		Jahangeer Khan, promoted.
1st Regt. Sikh Local Infantry, ..	Jemadar Ram Churn Sing, ...	Subadar, ..	13th Dec. 1855,	Juswunt Sing, deceased.
	Havildar Muckhun Sing, ...	Jemadar, ..	Ditto,	Ramchurn Sing, promoted.
4th Regt Irregular Cavalry, ..	Ressaldar Goor Bux Sing, ...	Ressaldar, ..	8th Dec. 1855,	Jawallanath Sing, deceased.
	Naib Ressaldar Ameer Ally, ...	Ressaldar, ..		Goor Bux Sing, promoted.
	Jemadar Yehaya Beg, ...	Naib Ressaldar,		Ameer Ally, promoted.
	Kote Duffadar Roheem Bux Khan,	Jemadar, ..		Yehaya Beg, promoted.

No. 329 of 1856.—In conformity with Government General Order No. 144 of 1852, the following Statement of Deposits made in the General Treasury, during the month of January 1856, on account of the Estates of deceased European Commissioned, Non-Commissioned and Warrant Officers and Soldiers of the East India Company's Service, is published for general information; and it is hereby notified, that claims to the Estates in question, which shall not be preferred to the Sub-Treasurer by Executors or Administrators, before the conclusion of twelve months after the date of decease, cannot be attended to in this country, as the money, after that period, will be remitted to, and made payable by, the Hon'ble the Court of Directors only :—

Statement of Deposits made at the General Treasury of Fort William, on account of Estates of deceased European Commissioned, Non-Commissioned, and Warrant Officers and Soldiers of the East India Company's Service, in January 1856.

Date of Deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	General Number.	Date of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of monies accruing from the adjustment of Estates.	Amount of Donation Batta due to Estates.	Total unclaimed Amount deposited.	How disposed of. Amount paid in India.	Amount retained in India.	Amount remitted for payment in England. In Company's Rupees.	Equivalent in Sterling.	Rate of Exchange.	Remarks.
			COMMISSIONED AND WARRANT OFFICERS.												
5th	William Hannah,	Senior Apothecary,	Medical Department,	....	3rd November 1855,	Left a Will,	238 11 2	..	238 11 2						
7th	Alexander Ramsay,	Lieutenant,	Invalid Establishment,	....	22nd November 1855,	..	50 0 0	..	50 0 0						
8th	Ditto,	Ditto,	Ditto,	....	22nd November 1855,	..	629 11 4	..	629 11 4						
"	Robert Steward,	Major,	16th N. I., Grenadiers,	....	11th June 1855,	No Will found,	500 0 0	..	500 0 0						
9th	George Macartney Cheyne,	Surgeon,	Medical Department,	....	23rd October 1854,	Intestate,	34 2 6	..	34 2 6						
"	John Jones Cole,	Assistant Surgeon,	Ditto,	....	24th April 1855,	..	322 9 6	..	322 9 6	322 9 6	..	..	..	..	23rd January 1856. Remitted by Bill on Moultan in favor of Mrs. J. M. Cole.
16th	Henry Sinclair,	Lieutenant,	50th Native Infantry,	....	1st September 1855,	..	970 0 0	..	970 0 0						
17th	Francis L'Estrange,	Ditto,	Ditto,	....	13th October 1855,	Will left,	422 9 5	..	422 9 5	..	..	..	..	..	Legatee, Miss Sarah L'Estrange, Killcummin, King's County, Ireland.
21st	Robert Steward,	Major,	16th N. I., Grenadiers,	....	11th June 1855,	No Will found,	25 0 0	..	25 0 0						
28th	John Crommelin Lamb,	Captain—Offg. Ex. Officer, Ferozepore and Umritsur Road,	52nd Native Infantry,	....	24th June 1854,	Testate,	646 12 7	..	646 12 7						
31st	Thomas Henry Johnson,	Assistant Apothecary,	H. M's Recruit Depot, Berhampore,	....	28th March 1855,	Intestate,	48 7 7	..	48 7 7	..	..	..	..	..	Left a widow, a mother and two sisters.
			NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS.												
2nd	John Cavenagh,	Gunner,	Electric Telegraph Dept.,	....	2nd November 1854,	Intestate,	77 2 0	..	77 2 0						
8th	John Long,	Ditto,	1st Co. 4th Battn. Arty.,	5624	4th November 1855,	Ditto,	21 5 0	..	21 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	Brother, Miles Long, St. Nicholas (without) Dublin.
"	Donald McCormick,	Private,	3rd Eur. Regiment,	719	22nd November 1855,	Ditto,	39 11 7	..	39 11 7	..	..	..	..	..	Sister, Jane McCormick, Dundee, Forfar.
"	George Barker,	Gunner,	2nd Tp. 2nd Brigade H. A.,	8090	10th September 1855,	Ditto,	9 11 1	..	9 11 1	..	..	..	..	..	Next of kin unknown.
11th	James Flemming,	Serjeant,	4th Co. 3rd Battn. Arty.,	5095	26th October 1855,	Ditto,	376 0 10	..	376 0 10	..	..	..	..	..	Mother, Elizabeth Flemming, Market Hill, Mullabrach, Armagh.
"	William Coyne,	Gunner,	Eur. Invalid Battn.,	820	26th November 1855,	Ditto,	6 10 0	..	6 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	Next of kin unknown.
"	George Carter,	Corporal & Asst. Overseer,	3rd Co. 2nd Battn. Arty., 2nd Division Lahore and Peshawur Road,	5749	5th November 1855,	Ditto,	114 14 10	..	114 14 10	..	..	..	..	..	Next of kin unknown.
"	Edward Watkins,	Invalid Corporal,	2nd Co. 2nd Battn. Arty.,	6410	23rd March 1855,	Ditto,	507 9 8	..	507 9 8						
14th	Brice (or Bruce) Ervin,	Recruit,	2nd Eur. Bengal Fusiliers,	....	3rd November 1855,	Ditto,	0 7 10	..	0 7 10						
18th	William Charles Mills,	Private,	Ditto,	440	21st November 1855,	Testate,	0 11 0	..	0 11 0	..	..	..	..	..	Legatees, Private John Moore, Invalids, Chunar, and his wife.

Date of Deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	General Number.	Date of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of monies accruing from the adjustment of Estates.	Amount of Donation Batta due to Estates.	Total unclaimed Amount deposited.	How disposed of. Amount paid in India.	Amount retained in India.	Amount remitted for payment in England. In Company's Rupees.	Equivalent in Sterling.	Rate of Exchange.	Remarks.
	NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS.—*(Continued.)*														
18th	John Cantwell, ..	Drummer, ..	2nd Eur. Bengal Fusiliers,	589	12th October 1855,	Testate, ..	53 6 0	..	53 6 0	..	..	..	..	..	Legatees, Roman Catholic Bishop of Moulmein, Drummer James Doherty, 2nd European Bengal Fusiliers and sister, Rosy O'Reilly, Drogheder, Ireland.
„	John Barrett, ..	Private, ..	Ditto, ..	571	29th September 1855,	Intestate, ..	18 3 6	..	18 3 6	..	..	..	..	..	Next of kin unknown.
„	Thomas Sinnott, ..	Ditto, ..	Ditto, ..	568	5th December 1855,	Ditto, ..	178 2 7	..	178 2 7	..	..	..	..	..	Sister, E. Sinnott, Wexford, County Wexford, Ireland.
19th	Christopher McLoughlin, ..	Rough Rider and Farrier Serjeant, ..	1st Co. 1st Battn. Arty., ..	8892	4th September 1855,	Ditto, ..	99 10 11	..	99 10 11	..	..	..	..	..	Next of kin unknown.
25th	Thomas Tully, ..	Corporal, ..	Late of the Artillery, ..	3601	4th December 1855,	Will, ..	237 5 3	..	237 5 3	..	..	..	..	..	Legacy to a comrade and residue to daughter in London.
26th	John Manley, ..	Private, ..	2nd Eur. Bengal Fusiliers,	663	3rd July 1855,	Intestate, ..	2 10 0	..	2 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	Next of kin unknown.
„	Robert Lord, ..	Ditto, ..	Ditto, ..	1551	4th May 1855,	Ditto, ..	2 10 0	..	2 10 0						
„	James Fennessy, ..	Gunner, ..	4th Co. 5th Battn. Arty., ..	7684	16th August 1855,	Ditto, ..	29 15 10	..	29 15 10	..	..	..	..	..	Mother, Mary, Tipperary, Clohem.
„	Samuel Love, ..	Bombardier, ..	Ditto, ..	5514	29th August 1855,	Ditto, ..	44 11 11	..	44 11 11	..	..	..	..	..	Next of kin unknown.
28th	William Thompson, ..	Corporal & Asst. Overseer,	Sappers and Miners, 2nd Division, Lahore and Peshawur Road, ..	....	18th June 1854,	Ditto, ..	15 15 0	..	15 15 0	..	..	..	..	..	Left a widow, Margaret Thompson, and one son, Robert Legget Thompson.
29th	John Smith, ..	Pensioned Bombardier, ..	2nd Tp. 2nd Brigade H. A.,	865	12th May 1855,	Ditto, ..	1048 12 9	..	1048 12 9						
„	James Wilson, ..	Private, ..	2nd Eur. Bengal Fusiliers,	712	11th May 1855,	Will, ..	457 6 9	..	457 6 9	..	..	..	..	..	Legatee, William Wilson, brother, Tilbury Hill, Essex.
						Co.'s Rs. ..	7,231 2 5	..	7,231 2 5						

J. I. HARVEY,

Sub-Treasurer.

FORT WILLIAM;
GENERAL TREASURY,
The 31st January 1856.

R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India, in the Mily. Dept.

Government Notification.

THE following Notice is published for general information :—

By order,
ROBERT CHURCH,
Secy. to the Governor.

Singapore, 12th October 1855.

RAFFLES LIGHT HOUSE.

ON and after the 1st of November 1855, a fixed bright Dioptric Light of the third order will be exhibited from sun-set to sun-rise on the Islet called the "Coney" near Barn Island, at the Western entrance of the Straits of Singapore, situated according to the Admiralty Charts, in Latitude 1° 8′ 15″ North and Longitude 103° 45′ 20″ East.

The height of the centre of the Light from high water mark is 105 feet.

The Light will be visible from the decks of vessels at a distance of about 12 nautical miles.

The Light will illuminate about 233 degrees of the horizon, *viz.*, from Saint John's Island, proceeding Southerly to the North westward near the Sultan Shoal.

Vessels losing the Light when to the Eastward or Westward will thereby be warned of the dangers respectively of Middle Island or of the Sultan Shoal, as laid down in Chart of the Straits of Singapore by Messrs. Congalton and Thomson, corrected up to 1855.

(Signed) J. RUSSELL,
Master Attendant.

Opium Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Third Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1854-55, will be held at the Exchange Hall, on Monday, the 10th March 1856, at 11 A. M., and will comprise 3,460 Chests, *viz.* :—

Behar Opium, ...	2,440
Benares Ditto, ...	1,020
Total Chests, ...	3,460

2nd. The general Conditions of the Sale now advertized will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 11th December 1855, and published in the *Calcutta* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for Deposit and Clearance will be the 15th and 25th March 1856, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, Company's Paper, or other Public Securities, that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale, will be received after 4 P. M. of Saturday, the 15th March 1856, and no Treasury Receipts in full payment of Lots, will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Tuesday, the 25th March 1856.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertized for Sale, the following quantities,* more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium, will be brought to Sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below; the Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

	Chests.
* Behar Opium of 1854-55,	21,498
Benares do. of do.,	9,170
Behar do. of 1853-54, (re-manufactured,) ..	460
Chests, ...	31,128

	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 14th April 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Friday, 9th May 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 9th June 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Thursday, 10th July 1856, ...	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 11th August 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Wednesday, 10th September 1856, .	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Friday, 10th October 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 10th November 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 8th December 1856, ..	2,438	1,010	3,448
Total, ..	21,958	9,170	31,128

By Order of the Board of Revenue,
E. T. TREVOR,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM }
20th February 1856. }

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Wednesday the 5th and Thursday the 6th proximo, on account of the Hindoo Holidays, Seebo Rattree.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

GENERAL TREASURY, }
The 22nd February 1856. }

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

DISTRICTS.	*Amounts available on this date.*
Bogra, ...	1,00,000
Cachar, ...	19,000
Cuttack, C. D., ...	30,000
Dinagepore, ...	50,000
* Hooghly, ...	1,25,000
* Mymensing, ...	3,00,000
Pooree, ...	30,000
* Tipperah, ...	3,50,000

G. G. MACKINTOSH,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office, }
The 26th Feb. 1856. }

* N. B.—These Treasuries will be cleared shortly if the amounts available are not taken up in Bills

Bills applied for after 2 P. M. will not be issued till the following day.

Notification.

THE following Estimate of Cash, expected to be available at the under-mentioned Treasuries on the dates and to the extent mentioned, is published for general information. Bills at par and at sight may be had at the General Treasury, payable on those dates, or before, as funds become available ; and to prevent disappointment from the clearing out of Treasuries, parties requiring Bills are requested to communicate with the Accountant, Government of Bengal, at their early convenience.

Bills upon the Treasuries marked (*) may be obtained from the Collectors of Dacca, Moorshedabad, or Patna, to the extent available at the time of application.

This Estimate is published only as a guide to parties interested. The amounts available at the several Treasuries on intermediate dates will be notified as usual in the weekly lists.

		Bills available.	
Bograh,*	to	1st November,	80,000
		15th January,	1,00,000
		1st April,	70,000
		1st July,	30,000
Bullooah,*	to	1st November,	2,00,000
		15th January,	2,50,000
		1st April,	2,50,000
		1st July,	2,00,000
Tipperah,*	to	10th November,	2,50,000
		15th January,	3,50,000
		1st April,	2,00,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Mymensingh,*		10th November,	1,50,000
		15th January,	2,30,000
		1st April,	1,90,000
		1st July,	60,000
Sylhet,*		20th January,	1,00,000
		1st May,	1,00 000
Pubna,*		1st November,	1,00,000
		15th January,	1,00,000
		1st April,	80,000
Rungpore,*		1st November,	1,80,0000
		15th January,	2,70,000
		1st April,	3,50,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Dinagepore,		1st November,	25,000
		15th January,	4,50,000
		1st April,	5,50,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Nuddeeah,		1st November,	2,00,000
		15th January,	80,000
		1st April,	20,000
Jessore,		1st November,	3,00,000
		15th January,	3,00,000
		1st April,	3,00,000
Purneeah,		1st November,	1,00,000
		15th January,	3,00,000
		1st April,	4,00,000

EDMUND DRUMMOND,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 9th October 1855.

Notification.

No. 16.

MR. W. L. MACKENZIE, Uncovenanted Deputy Collector, received charge of the Furredpore Treasury on the 16th instant.

G. G. MACKINTOSH,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM;
Office of Acct. to the Govt. of Bengal,
The 26th February 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, one and a quarter seconds ($1\frac{1}{4}$s.) before Mean Noon.

Fort William,
23rd February 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, one and a quarter seconds ($1\frac{1}{4}$s.) after Mean Noon.

C. S. REID, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major.

Fort William,
25th February 1856.

Notice.

THE Most Noble the Marquis of Dalhousie having appointed Wednesday, the 5th March, at 5 P. M., for receiving the Address of the Inhabitants of Calcutta, the Members of the Deputation are requested to meet at the Town Hall at half past four on that day.

Gentlemen desirous of accompanying the Deputation are invited to attend at the same hour.

(Signed) J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, the 6th February 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Sessions of *Oyer* and *Terminer* and Gaol Delivery, and also an Admiralty Sessions, will be holden by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Saturday, the First day of March next, at 12 o'clock at noon.

The Court will open on the first day of the Sessions at 12 o'clock at noon, and upon each succeeding day precisely at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, of which all persons are required to take notice.

J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস ৬ ফিবরুয়ারি ১৮৫৬ সাল।

সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে আগামী ১ মার্চ ১৮৫৬ সাল শনিবার দুই প্রহরের সময় কলিকাতার কোর্ট উইলেমের এবং তাহার অন্তঃপাতি যে সকল স্থান তন্নিমিত্তে বঙ্গদেশের কোর্ট উইলএমের সুপ্রেম কোর্ট আপন আদালত ঘরে ওয়েরটরমিনর এবং এডমাইরেলটী অর্থাৎ মহাসমুদ্র সম্পর্কীয় মকদ্দমা নিষ্পত্তি জন্য এক সেশীয়ান অর্থাৎ সিছিল করিবেন।

এই সেশীয়ান জতকাল পর্য্যন্ত বসিবেক তাহার প্রথম দিবস দুই প্রহরের সময় তাহার পর প্রতি দিবস এগারো ঘন্টার সময় বসিবেক এ বিষয় সকলে স্মরণ রাখুন।

J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

In the event of no claim being established to the unclaimed Dividends hereunder mentioned within six months from this date they will be paid into Court.

ESTATE OF HICKEY, BAILEY AND CO.

Names of Creditors.	Amount of Claims.	1st Dividend at 2 Rupees 4 annas per Ct.
Austin, George, ...	5426 10 0	122 1 7
Bathgate and Co., Messrs., ...	211 15 6	4 12 3
Bracken Thos., Exor. of Wm. Hickey, deceased, ...	42190 7 9	949 4 6
Douzelle C., ...	1013 2 11	22 12 9
Fourcroy, R., Esqr., ...	6735 5 7	151 8 8
Maxwell Hugh, Esqr., ...	57 3 4	1 4 7
Schoene, Charles Edward, ...	6654 8 10	149 11 7
Maseyk, James, Jungypore, ...	4792 14 5	107 13 5

BILL CLAIMS.

Number of Bills.	In whose favor.	Present Holder.	Amount £. S. D.								
310	J. H. Patton, ...	Unknown, ...	35	6	0	353	0	0	7	15	1
344	Hickey, Bailey and Co., ...	Ditto, ...	600	0	0	6000	0	0	135	0	0
2	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	105	8	7	1021	14	1	22	15	11
25	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	1000	0	0	9696	15	5	218	2	11
45	Ditto, ..	Ditto. ...	1500	0	0	14400	0	0	324	0	0
46	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	1000	0	0	9600	0	0	216	0	0
47	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	1000	0	0	9600	0	0	216	0	0
48	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	500	0	0	4800	0	0	108	0	0
49	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	500	0	0	4800	0	0	108	0	0
51	Ditto, ..	Ditto, ...	600	0	0	6000	0	0	135	0	0
63	Chas. Longman, ...	Ditto, ...	20	0	0	200	0	0	4	8	0
70	Hickey, Bailey and Co., ...	Ditto, ...	500	0	0	5000	0	0	112	8	0
74	General Ventura, ...	Ditto, ...	250	0	0	2553	3	0	57	7	2
77	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	839	0	0	8568	8	3	192	12	8

Bills of Exchange bearing Messrs. Hickey, Bailey and Co.'s endorsement.

Number of Bills.	By whom Drawn.	Present Holder.	On whom.								
18-1086	Messrs. Matheson and Co., ..	Unknown	Lyall Brothers,...	1500	0	0	15000	0	0	337	8 0
18-1090	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	1000	0	0	10000	0	0	225	0 0
18-1063	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ..	Ditto, ...	1633	8	9	16001	0	4	360	0 4
18-1064	Dtito, ...	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ...	366	11	3	3590	13	0	80	12 8
39	Messrs. Cockerell and Co., ...	Ditto, ...	Messrs. Cockerell, Larpent and Co.,	1500	0	0	14545	7	3	327	4 4
29	Ditto, ...	Ditto, ..	Ditto, ...	1031	5	0	10000	0	0	225	0 0
158	Oswaed, Seal and Co., ...	Ditto, ...	G. T. Braine, ...	746	9	2	7464	14	0	167	15 4
17-1283 17-1284	Messrs. Lyall Matheson & Co.,	Ditto,	Lyall Brothers,	1000 500	0 0	0 0	15000	0	0	337	8 0

Union Bank Post Bill bearing Hickey, Bailey and Co.'s endorsement.

Number of Bills.	In whose favor.	Present Holder.						
471	Hickey, Bailey and Co., ...	Unknown, ...	20000	0	0	450	0	0
381	W. P. Grant and others, ...	Ditto, ...	25000	0	0	562	8	0
565	Colville, Gilmore and Co., ...	Ditto, ...	30000	0	0	675	0	0

JOHN COCHRANE, *Official Assignee.*

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

RECEIVER'S OFFICE.

Aushootosh Day, &c., *versus* Rajcoomary Dossee &c., } NOTICE is hereby given, that on Monday, the 10th day of March, 1856, at one o'clock in the afternoon, Charles Swinton Hogg, Esquire, the Receiver of the Supreme Court, will put up at his Office, for Lease, the following Zemindaries, &c., belonging to the Estate of Kistwonondo, Biswas, deceased, upon such terms and conditions, and upon such security as he may think fit; that is to say :—

In 24-Pergunnahs, within the District of the Joint Magistrate of Baraset.

The following Dhees and Mouzahs of eight annas' share of Pergunnah Aunorpore, No. 146, *viz* :—

Dhee Baloorea, Dhee Kootulsahe, Dhee Kistopore, Dhee Kallikapore, Dhee Bocondo, Dhee Basdebpore, Dhee Bodye, Dhee Chore Kharah, Dhee Barooa and Dhee Sahayrah; and Mouzahs, Tol Dhathea, Panybarrah Baybary, and Bonomallypore, with Katchary Bauteis, Hauts, Bazars, Sawyers' Ghauts, Tanks, Gardens, Shops, Factories, (Save Modo Morrally Factory,) and all other profits and appertenances to the said eight annas' share of the said Dhees and Mouzahs.

Debotra resumed permanently-settled Mehal, called Kismut Madhubpore, &c., No. 1178, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Factories, &c., &c., as stated above.

An Indigo Factory, called Moddoo Morrary Factory, situate in Pergunnah Aunorpore, in the Zillah of the 24-Pergunnahs, with a Tank attached to it.

In 24-Pergunnahs, within the District of the Magistrate of 24-Pergunnahs.

The following Turuffs, Mouzah and Kismut, of the eight annas' share of Mohel Modrosa, No. 145, *viz* :—

Turuffs Jangra, Panchooria, Haltoo, Kodalia, and Hautgatcha, Mouzah Bone Hooghly, and Kismut Khordah, with Katchary Bauties, Bazars Hauts, &c., &c., as stated above.

The following Turuffs, Mouzah and Kismut, of the Zemindaries No. 147, of eight annas' share of Bawotah, known by the name of Sree Bautie, in Pergunnah Calcutta, *viz.*, Turuffs Byrampore, Mowsool and Bogoonothpore, and Mouzah Doorgabatty, and Kismut Kherdah, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Garden, &c., &c., as stated above.

The following Turuffs, Mouzahs, and Kismuts of the Zemindaries No. 169, called Hautiarah, *viz.* Turuffs Neez Hautiarah, and Khorumba, and Mouzahs Borakhollah Anharampore, Gantee, and Rygatchee, &c., and Kismuts Santgatchee, Donorot, and Chapna, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, Gardens, &c &c., as stated above.

Within Sawhabaw Bangeecha, Turuff Polta, &c., permanently-settled Mohal No. 1., with Hauts, Bazars, Garden, &c. &c., as stated above.

Two Lease-hold Mohels No. 1072 and 1074, called Chondy Barry, and Taj Gharry, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, &c., as stated above.

One fifth of one anna and three pies share of the Zemindary of late Gocool Chunder Gossain, No. 217, called Kismut Khardah, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, &c., as stated above.

For further particulars apply at the Receiver's Office, Supreme Court.

W. MACPHERSON,
Master.

Receiver's Office, Court House, The 21st February 1856.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Andrew Ewin Manly, at present of Intally, in the suburbs of Calcutta, late of Chowringhee Road, in Calcutta, and late an Assistant employed in the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, an Insolvent. } Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 18th day of February instant, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insovent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Sherrington, *Attorney.*

In the matter of William Craven, late of No. 25, Loll Bazar, Hotel-keeper, but at present of No. 4, Banks Hall Street, an Assistant of James Booth, Hotel-keeper, an Insolvent. } On Tuesday, the 19th day of February instant, it was ordered that the hearing in this matter should stand adjourned until Saturday, the 5th day of April next, with liberty to the said Insolvent to amend his petition filed in this matter, and all other papers relating to his insolvency, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Paliologus, *Attorney.*

In the matter of William Dickson, a Trader, residing at Chandney Choke 1st Lane, an Insolvent. } Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 23rd day of February instant, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Sherrington, *Attorney.*

In the matter of George Macallan Gow Smith, of Ramnaghur Factory, in the District of Jessore, but at present in Calcutta, carrying on the trade and business of an Indigo Planter, an Insolvent. } Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 19th day of February instant, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Molloy and Mackintosh, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of George Macallan Gow Smith, of Ramnaghur Factory, in the District of Jessore, but at present in Calcutta, carrying on the trade and business of an Indigo Planter, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 19th day of February instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Molloy and Mackintosh, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of Luttuckbehary Khettry, of Burra Bazar, in Calcutta, Broker and Merchant, an Insolvent.

Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 18th day of February instant, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Templeton and Carrapiet, *Attorneys.*

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Templeton and Carrapiet, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 25th February 1856.

For Dacca and Assam.

THE Steamer *Megna*, with the *Kaleegungah* in tow, will leave on the 1st of March.

For Freight and Passage, apply at the Government Boat Office.

By order of the Superintendent of Marine,

J. WOODLEY,

Clerk of the Govt. Boat Office.

Govt. Boat Office,
The 25th February 1856.

Steamer to Chittagong and Arracan.

THE Hon'ble Company's Steamer *Hugh Lindsay* will be despatched to Akyab, and thence to Chittagong, about the 5th proximo.

Applications for Passage to be made to this Office, and for Freight for private goods to be made to the Clerk of the Government Steam Boat Office.

By order of the Superintendent of Marine,

J. SUTHERLAND,

Officiating Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM;
Marine Supdt.'s Office,
The 25th February 1856.

Agra and United Service Bank.

THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA having, by Notification of 25th January 1855, signified its intention to dissolve its existing connexion with the Government Agency, the AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK will, on being furnished with the necessary powers, receive charge of Government Paper and Bank Shares from the Agent, and realize the Interest when due and Dividends when declared. The Bank will also sell or invest in these Securities for Constituents.

Forms of Letters and Powers of Attorney may be obtained on application to the Bank at Calcutta, or its Branches at Agra and Lahore.

When the proceeds of Government Paper or Shares sold, or of Interest and Dividends realized, are remitted by the Bank's Drafts on England, or on its Indian Branches, no Commission will be charged.

If otherwise paid, or when the Paper or Shares are delivered over, the charge for Commission will be ¼ per cent.

HOURS OF BUSINESS.

From and after Wednesday, the 1st August from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when the Bank will be closed at 1 P. M.

FRANCIS R. NEILSON,

Secretary.

No. 2, Council-House Street,
Calcutta, 30th January 1855.

Assam Company.

GENERAL MEETING OF PROPRIETORS.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Meeting of Proprietors will be held at the Company's Office on Thursday, the 28th instant, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when the Report of the Directors and the Accounts for the past year will be submitted.

The Accounts will be open for the inspection of Proprietors on and after the 21st instant.

By order of the Directors,

L. E. CARTER,

Offg. Secretary.

NO. 1, BARRETTO'S LANE;
Calcutta, 20th February 1856.

Notice.

THE Partnership heretofore existing, and carried on, under the style or firm of STEWART AND CALROW, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstandings will be settled by WM. C. STEWART.

WM. C. STEWART.

R. F. CALROW,

By his Attorney,

WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
31st December 1855.

THE undersigned will continue the business as heretofore under the firm of WM. C. STEWART & Co.

WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
1st January 1856.

Notice.

I, the undersigned, hereby give notice, that the Partnership formerly existing between me and WILLIAM DOWLEY was dissolved on the 18th instant, by consent.

S. POWELL.

26th February 1856.

Notice.

WANTED.—A Superintendent of Roads qualified to prepare Plans and Estimates of Works proposed, and to undertake the superintendence of Works in progress under the direction of the Maldah Ferry Fund Committee. Proposed salary; 50 Rs. per month. Satisfactory certificates of qualification or references and security will be required. Applications to be addressed to the undersigned.

E. C. CRASTER,
Secy. to the Ferry Fund Committee.

MALDAH;
Secy. F. F. Committee,
The 29th Jany. 1856.

Caution.

WHEREAS Shumsoon Nessa Begum, the only surviving daughter and child of Moonshee Hossain Ally, and the Niccatty wife of Moonshee Buzlool Rohim, of Sealdah, the younger son of Moonshee Ameer, having left her husband's protection, and her seal being detained by her said husband, the Public are hereby cautioned from purchasing from her said husband, or from any other person or persons, any Company's Paper or other property of the said Shumsoon Nessa Begum, and that no mark or seal which may be affixed to such Papers or Documents as her mark or seal shall be admissible without bearing the attestation of her constituted Attorney, Mr. Arratoon Carapiet, or being signed and endorsed by him as such her Attorney.

J. TEMPLETON.

اشتهار براي هوشياري

چون مسماة شمس‌النسا بيگم كه صرف دختري‌منشي حسن‌علي است وجوزهٔ منكوحهٔ منشي بضل‌الرحيم پسر خورد منشي امير مرحوم ساكن سيالدهٔ حفاظت وپناهٔ شوهر خود ترك گرديده است و چون مهر شمس النسا بيگم مذكوره بدست شوهرش است بنابران اشتهار هذا براي آگاهي و هوشياري برخاص وعام داده مي‌شود كه كسي كاغذ كمپني‌ياجايداد ديگربيگم مذكوره خريد نكنيد زيراچه كاغذات كمپني يا دلايل ديگر با مهر و نشان دستخط شمس‌النسا بيگم مذكوره بغير دستخط مستر آرتن كراپيت صاحب كه مختار شمس‌النسا بيگم مذكوره اند اگر خريد كنند تا همچنان كاغذ كمپني ودلايل ديگر ناقص و باطل خواهد شد فقط

جي تيمپلي تون

সাবধানের বিজ্ঞাপন।

যেহেতুক সমসুন্নেশা বেগম যিনি মুন্সি হোঁশেনআলির কেবল এক জীবিত কন্যা মাত্র এবং যাঁহার নিকা সেয়ালদহ নিবাসি মুন্সি আমরের কনিষ্ঠ পুত্র শ্রীযুত বজলল রহিমের সহিত হইয়াছিল তিনি আপন স্বামির আশ্রয় পরিত্যাগ করিয়া গিয়াছেন এবং যেহেতু তাহার মোহর উক্ত স্বামি আটক করিয়া রাখিয়াছেন অতএব সর্ব্ব সাধারণকে এতদ্দ্বারা সাবধান করা যাইতেছে যে উক্ত সমসুন্নেশা বেগমের উক্ত স্বামির নিকট হইতে অথবা অন্য কোন ব্যক্তির নিকট হইতে উক্ত সমসুন্নেশা বেগমের কোন কোম্পানির কাগজ অথবা অন্য কোন জায়দাদ খরিদ না করেন কারণ উক্ত সমসুন্নেশা বেগমের মোক্তার মেষ্টর আরাটুন কেরাপিয়েট সাহেবের দস্তখত ব্যতিরেক কোন নিশানি সহি অথবা মোহর যাহা উক্ত কোম্পানির কাগজে কি অন্য কোন দলিলাদিতে করা যাইবেক তাহা গ্রাহ্য হইবেক না ইতি।

জে, টেমপ্লিটান।

LOST.—A Co.'s 4 per cent. Loan No. 6827, of 12846, of 1842-43, dated 1st February 1843, for Co.'s Rs. 700. A reward to the finder.

LOST.—Left hand Half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 12956, of 15th April 1853, for Company's Rupees (20) twenty, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

LOST.—The Second Half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 14342, for Co.'s Rs. 50, and First and Second Halves of Nos. 19079 and 03713, for Co.'s Rs. 25 each, the payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

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It is a valuable contribution to our Indian Literature.—*Calcutta Christian Advocate, October* 6.

A Book of Gems, well worthy the Author's high reputation.—*Central Star, October* 13.

We cannot but recommend this volume to all who admire sprightly writing and elegantly selected poetry.—*Indian Times, October* 17.

Mr. Richardson—better known to the reading public as "D. L. R."—has a wide reputation as a careful and polished writer.—*Bombay Telegraph and Courier, October* 22.

A very pleasant book which we can cordially recommend to the attention of our readers—A delightful *melange* about flowers and flower gardens, floriculture in general, and the enjoyments of rural life.—*Bombay Times, October* 27, 1855.

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THE

NEW BENGAL DIRECTORY FOR 1856.

IN announcing the above Publication, Messrs. SAMUEL SMITH AND CO. beg to inform their Subscribers and the Public that they have completed their DIRECTORY for the present year which, in every Department of Information or Reference, has been amplified and corrected up to the latest date, and which, for convenience of Form, comprehensiveness, and elegance, considerably surpasses its predecessor of 1855.

Post Office Notifications.

Post Office Notification showing the hour at which the Mails reached the General Post Office and the time occupied in sending the Letters and Papers out for delivery.

Name of the Steamer.	Date and Hour of Arrival of the Mails at the Post Office.	Hour at which the Window Delivery commenced.	Hour at which the Peons left the Post Office.
Hindostan,	25th Feb. 1856, at 5 P. M.,	7¾ P. M., ...	9½ P. M.

C. K. Dove,
Deputy Post-master General.

Calcutta;
General Post Office,
The 26th February 1856.

It is hereby notified, that unless marked for particular Ships, all Letters received at the General Post Office, between Monday, the 18th February 1856, and Sunday, the 24th February 1856, both dates inclusive, were despatched by the under-mentioned Vessels, which sailed from Calcutta on dates specified :—

Letters received on dates, from and to	*By what Ship despatched.*	*Bound to*	*Remarks.*
18th and 19th Feb. 1856.	Steamer Fire Queen, ...	Rangoon and Maulmain, ..	Left town on the 20th Feb.
18th do., ..	Falstaff, ...	Melbourne, ...	Ditto on the 19th ditto.
18th to 20th do., ...	Steamer Lancefield, ...	Penang, Singapore & China,	Ditto on the 21st ditto.
21st to 23rd do., ...	Steamer Chusan, ...	Ditto, ...	Ditto on the 24th ditto.
18th to 24th do., ..	Electra, ...	Cape and London, ..	Ditto on the 25th ditto.

C. K. Dove,
Deputy Post-master General.

Calcutta ; General Post Office, the 26th February 1856.

Comparative Statement showing the Rates at which the Letter Mails were conveyed between Calcutta and Benares, and between Benares and Peshawur in the month of December 1854, *and the corresponding month of* 1855.

Divisions of the line.		Distance.	Rate attained per hour.						Remarks.
			December 1854.			December 1855.			
From.	To.		M.	F.	P.	M.	F.	P.	
Calcutta	to Benares, ...	422	7	4	0	10	3	14	Under P. M. G. of Bengal.
Benares	to Allahabad, ...	73	9	1	36	9	5	36	Under P. M. G., N. W. P.
Allahabad	to Cawnpore, ...	126	10	6	33	10	3	35	
Cawnpore	to Allyghur, ...	183	10	2	23	10	5	49	
Allyghur	to Delhi, ...	80	10	2	23½	10	7	12½	
Delhi	to Kurnaul, ...	75	9	5	25½	10	6	17	
Kurnaul	to Umballa, ...	40	6	3	26½	8	2	38	
Umballa	to Loodiana, ...	72	8	7	28½	9	0	2½	
Loodiana	to Lahore, ...	126	8	7	26	*a*10	4	16	
Lahore	to Jhelum, ...	108	*b*6	1	21	8	2	31	
Jhelum	to Rawul Pindee,..	80	6	6	27	9	2	10	
Rawul Pindee	to Peshawur, ...	96	6	6	28	8	0	8	
	Total, ...	1481	0	0	0	0	0	0	

a The Dec. Return not being received, that for Nov. 1855 is given.
b The Return for Dec. 1854 not received, Return for Nov. 1854 given.

N. B.—In December 1854 the Mail was conveyed the whole distance from Calcutta to Benares in Mail carts. In December 1855 it was conveyed by Railway between Raneegunge and Calcutta. In the last-named month the speed attained in each division was as follows :—

			M.	F.	P.	
Calcutta to Raneegunge,	122	miles, by Railway, ...	10	6	36	per hour.
Raneegunge to Burhee,	124	miles, by Mail cart, ...	9	2	6	"
Burhee to Sherghotty,	44	miles, by ditto, ...	10	6	29	"
Sherghotty to Benares,	132	miles, by ditto, ...	10	3	29	"
Total, ...	422	miles average rate, ...	10	3	14	

H. B. RIDDELL,

Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, 22nd February 1856.

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INSOLVENT ESTATES.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT, MADE UP TO THE 31ST JANUARY 1856.

ESTATES.	Whole Amount of Receipts.	Whole Disbursements.		Balance Remaining.	Of the balance, there is invested in Government Securities, (the remainder being Cash in the Bank of Bengal.)	Probable Out-turn of the Dependencies.
		Dividends Paid.	Other Payments.			
Alexander and Co. ...	232279 5 0	192830 1 4	30158 7 4	9290 12 4 of which Rs. 6088-11-6 applicable to the Dividend now payable.	0 0 0	There are outstandings, but recoveries uncertain. Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Anderson and Co. ..	2075 11 7	0 0 0	1274 9 5	801 2 2	441 7 0	The balance in hand is reserved to satisfy certain disputed claims. Nothing further is expected.
Adam, Scott and Co. ...	121519 14 0	104491 12 0	15966 15 0	1061 3 0	0 0 0	There are some outstandings, but uncertain as to recovery. Unclaimed Dividends in Court. One Policy of Insurance for Rs. 4,000. Some shares in the Bonded Ware House Association.
Brightman and Co. ...	30495 11 10	23845 6 10	6421 1 2	229 3 10	0 0 0	There are some outstandings, but recoveries uncertain. Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.

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Boyd and Co. ..	10350 5 8	0 0 0	9193 1 4	1157 4 4	1157 4 4	Some outstandings, but recoveries uncertain. Some suits long pending.
Bruce, Shand and Co. ..	817602 8 4	487477 10 7	322686 14 3	7437 15 6 of which Rs. 2457 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	2800 0 0	Nothing further is recoverable. Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Colvin and Co. ...	126234 0 8	84431 5 5	13433 12 8	28368 14 7 of which about Rs. 12500 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	0 0 0	There are outstandings, but recoveries uncertain. Unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Cruttenden, Mackillop and Co. ..	71397 11 5	48859 0 5	9806 13 4	12731 13 8 of which about Rs. 3000 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto ditto.
Ewing, Aird and Anderson ..	301715 14 3	55631 3 5	233377 6 6	12707 4 4	9867 13 3	Nothing more recoverable. Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Fergusson and Co. ...	125684 11 1	95356 14 5	14642 8 10	15685 3 10 of which about Rs. 8300 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	0 0 0	Some outstanding debts, but uncertain as to recovery. Unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Fergusson, Brothers and Co. ..	138435 2 7	62962 14 5	68358 15 9	7113 4 5 of which Rs. 4860 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	2700 0 0	Some outstandings, but recoveries uncertain. Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Gilmore and Co. ..	38277 9 4	21252 10 5	13777 1 9	3247 13 2 of which Rs, is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	0 0 0	Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Gordon, Collie and Co. ..	14673 0 11	7265 10 1	7406 7 7	0 15 3	0 0 0	Nothing further is expected to be realized.
W. C. Hurry ..	2201 0 10	0 0 0	1347 6 6	853 10 4	441 7 0	Further recoveries uncertain.
Hickey, Bailey and Co. ..	248904 11 2	35994 10 8	76778 10 11	136131 5 7 of which a portion is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	28593 14 10	Very little further recoverable.
G. F. Hodgkinson and Co. ..	22464 6 6	0 0 0	6745 15 6	15718 7 0	12900 0 0	A large claim against a Firm in London which denies it entirely. Accounts unadjusted. A Lawsuit pending.

Hughesdon, Brothers ..	213667 7 4 and Co.'s paper for Rs. 16000	14494 13 3	184950 1 2	14222 8 11 and Co.'s Paper for Rs. 16000, of which a portion is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	0 0 0	Very little further recoverable.
Lyall, Matheson and Co. ..	359682 13 1	274395 6 10	78919 0 11	6368 5 4 of which about Rs. 5000 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	830 3 1	Very little further recoverable. Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.
McGregor, Hunter and Co. ..	9938 15 8	0 0 0	8276 9 3	1662 6 5	897 1 5	Hardly any thing more recoverable.
Mackintosh and Co. ..	163447 1 9	99609 3 10	58258 1 7	5579 12 4	0 0 0	There are outstandings, but depend upon Law-suits. Recoveries uncertain. Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Macleod, Fagan and Co. ..	13938 11 3	2993 5 2	4236 11 0	6708 11 1	0 0 0	Some outstandings, but uncertain as to recovery. Unclaimed Dividends in Court.
D. C. Mackey and Co. ...	91408 10 4	10089 7 11	32781 13 11	48537 4 6 of which about Rs. 4000 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	18955 6 8	There are outstandings in course of recovery.
Nichol, Wilkie and Co. ..	4527 5 11	0 0 0	3526 1 5	1001 4 6	0 0 0	In debt to the Assignee on account of other Estates.
Owen, Allhusen and Co. ..	26649 0 9	0 0 0	23954 4 1	2694 12 8	2587 12 9	A portion of this sum consists of the proceeds of goods specifically claimed. Nothing further recoverable.
Palmer and Co. ..	370701 6 8	250898 5 0	103494 1 10	16308 15 10 of which Rs. 11689 0 8 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	10000 0 0	There are outstandings, but recoveries uncertain. One old Policy in the Laudable for Rupees 76,800. Unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Saunders, May, Fordyce and Co. ...	244083 10 4	186851 4 6	46403 8 3	10828 13 7 of which Rs. 1709 13 8 is applicable to the Dividend now payable.	1909 13 6	Very little further recoverable. Some unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Tulloh and Co., 1st ..	104129 14 9	54421 10 7	42275 9 5	7432 10 9	6635 0 0	There are outstandings in course of recovery, but the greater part depend upon Law-suits. Unclaimed Dividends in Court.
Cockerell and Co. ..	1654934 7 8	335559 8 8	1277872 2 0	41502 13 0 Subject to a loan for Rs. 16000.	34841 14 1	Some unclaimed Dividends in Court. Some outstandings, but uncertain as to recovery.
A. J. de H. Larpent ..	14882 9 6	8006 0 8	4961 9 10	1914 15 0	0 0 0	Nothing further is expected.
John Beckwith, ..	15364 9 9	12427 8 1	2773 6 10	163 11 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto
Tulloh and Co., 2nd ..	14945 0 9	0 0 0	5346 15 10	8698 0 11	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Cantor and Co. ..	207455 12 1	135911 11 11	64314 15 4	7229 0 10	0 0 0	There is a sum of £87-11-0 in the hands of the Official Assignee in London. Nothing further is outstanding.
Martin, Pillans and Co. ..	81285 11 3	0 0 0	60413 7 11	20872 3 4	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Asiatic Marine Insurance Office ..	53494 1 1	0 0 0	6682 7 11	46811 9 2	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto

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Allhusen, William ..	1629 14 6	0 0 0	603 3 4	1026 11 2	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Aubin, Pierre ..	1025 0 0	0 0 0	647 12 0	377 4 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Accounts unadjusted.
Ayton, J. A. ..	1281 9 2	0 0 0	196 1 10	1085 7 4	441 14 9	A claim on Cruttenden and Co.'s Estate. Out-turn uncertain.
Aviet, A. G. ..	1230 1 1	0 0 0	912 1 0	318 0 1	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Allport, Rowland ..	7410 1 5	0 0 0	653 9 6	6756 7 11	2647 10 3	Ditto ditto. Legal question pending.
Anquetil, Charles ..	39862 15 7	12560 1 3	26875 1 9	427 12 7	of which Rupees	Ditto ditto.
				198 4 8	is for dividends.	
Agabeg, Brothers ..	27957 7 6	16036 8 3	4715 3 7	7205 11 8	of which Rupees	Several outstandings. Recoveries uncertain.
				5968 13 2	is for Dividends now in course of payment.	
Agabeg, Johannes ..	1517 8 3	0 0 0	628 0 0	889 8 3	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Adams, Thomas ..	12782 1 11	5505 2 11	4660 2 0	2616 13 0	of which Rupees	Several outstandings. Recoveries uncertain. Insolvent died.
				785 15 10	is for Dividends now in course of payment.	
Andrews, John ..	4650 9 6	1932 13 3	550 1 9	2235 2 6	of which Rupees	Ordered, and pays Rs. 200 per month from his pay.
				1689 6 8	is for Dividends now in course of payment.	
Arrathoon, A. H. ..	10000 0 0	0 0 0	2967 4 6	7032 11 6	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Legal question pending before the Court.
Betts, Alfred ..	405 15 4	0 0 0	97 0 0	308 15 4	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Browne, Robert ..	3384 4 4	0 0 0	281 8 7	3162 11 9	1324 5 7	Ditto ditto; for want of accounts unable to divide.
Bolloram Bose ..	719 2 7	0 0 0	82 0 0	637 2 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Becher, G. R. P. ..	536 9 1	0 0 0	183 10 0	352 15 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Bryce, A. ..	1745 15 5	0 0 0	92 1 10	1653 13 7	441 14 9	Ditto ditto ditto.
Bremner, Charles ..	353 3 3	0 0 0	64 8 0	288 11 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Buckland, R. H., 1st ..	595 14 1	151 4 0	55 0 0	389 10 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Bailey, Francis ..	13766 4 8	5898 12 10	6922 6 2	945 1 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Buckland, R. H., 2d ..	605 9 7	0 0 0	369 15 0	235 10 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Birch, F. W. ..	13878 14 0	6245 8 10	2049 10 11	5533 10 3	of which Rupees	Ordered, and pays 150 Rs. per month from his pay.
				3072 11 8	is for Dividends now in course of payment.	
Bolst, E. C. ...	615 0 0	0 0 0	373 14 0	241 2 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Bruce C. C. ..	597 12 0	0 0 0	371 4 0	226 8 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Babington, John ..	4255 8 2	600 0 0	559 10 6	3095 13 8	of which Rupees	Has paid ¼ of his Schedule debts.
				3049 3 8	is for Dividends now in course of payment.	

Brojonauth Dhur	..	10346 0 9	4045 9 7	5138 3 11	1162 3 3 1086 5 2	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Nothing further recoverable.
Barnfield, William	...	1285 15 6	0 0 0	1003 4 0	282 11 6	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Burge, A. B.	..	2300 0 0	0 0 0	207 14 9	2092 1 3	0 0 0	Ordered, and pays Rupees 100 from his pay per month.
Bolst, F. C., 2d	..	333 12 0	0 0 0	8 0 0	325 12 0	0 0 0	Ordered, and pays 20 Rupees per month from his pay.
Burkinyoung, Robert	..	7923 13 3	0 0 0	1612 0 3	6311 13 0	0 0 0	Accounts unadjusted. Nothing further recoverable.
Bycaunthnauth Dutt	..	2252 1 0	0 0 0	608 0 0	1644 1 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Bodry, John	..	1884 5 0	0 0 0	1208 1 0	676 4 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Blythe, Edward	..	577 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	577 7 6	0 0 0	Schedule filed. Nothing further recoverable.
Currie, J. A., 1st	..	2326 7 10	1128 7 1	206 10 6	991 6 3	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Colquhoun, James	..	1046 15 11	0 0 0	80 0 0	966 15 11	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Campbell, F. W.	...	298 1 0	0 0 0	48 8 0	249 9 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Clarke, David	..	566 1 9	0 0 0	314 8 0	251 9 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Campbell, N. H. A., 2nd	..	819 3 2	358 6 7	50 0 6	410 12 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged.
Caird, John	...	684 14 1	0 0 0	42 0 0	644 14 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Calder, Duncan, 1st	...	4409 0 3	0 0 0	2443 7 3	1965 9 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Retained for settlement of accounts.
Crompton, G. T.	..	5128 15 10	2654 1 0	1907 1 3	567 13 7 345 15 0	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Some small sums further recoverable.
Campbell, Colin, 2nd	...	1538 10 3	0 0 0	643 14 6	894 11 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Collycoomar Mullick Roy	..	58532 12 9	45282 10 2	4901 13 4	8348 5 3 8300 8 11	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Chundermohun Chatterjee	...	4624 2 2	2970 13 1	1133 13 1	519 8 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Cook, Henry	..	12024 3 4	6389 14 8	4457 11 1	1176 9 7 835 0 0	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Large outstandings. Recoveries uncertain.
Currie, J. A., 2d	..	15550 0 0	4875 5 9	9931 12 10	742 13 5 392 0 0	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Campbell, N. H. A., 3d	...	28658 11 1	14088 1 4	11342 10 4	3227 15 5 1394 7 7	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Has paid up one-third of his Schedule debts, and application made for his final discharge.
Cameron, Charles	..	3967 3 9	0 0 0	725 5 1	3241 14 8	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery. Schedule not filed.
Curnin, Mrs. Ellen	..	1403 0 0	0 0 0	849 0 0	554 0 0	0 0 0	About Rs. 200 more to be recovered.
Cockburn, J. H.	..	945 0 0	0 0 0	20 4 0	924 12 0	0 0 0	Ordered, and pays Rs. 45 monthly from his pay.
Corcoran, J. F.	..	4959 12 0	2658 6 5	939 13 6	1361 8 1 1218 7 7	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Nothing further recoverable.
Collinet, E. G.	...	6026 3 11	4773 7 6	569 3 2	683 9 3 475 1 9	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Outstandings in course of recovery.

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Callogreedy, J. D., 2d ..	400 0 0	0 0 0	122 12 0	277 4 0	0 0 0	Ordered, and pays Rs. 50 per month from his pay.
Cohen, S. D., and Co. ..	328 2 11	0 0 0	54 2 0	274 0 11	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Chohunram ..	308 2 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	308 2 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Schedule not filed.
Desbrasses, Richard ...	879 5 2	0 0 0	92 0 0	787 5 2	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Dickens, Theodore ...	10650 6 5	326 3 4	286 15 3	10037 3 10	3520 0 0	Ditto ditto. Subject to settlement of Accounts.
Dickson, William ..	10612 2 1	8479 0 11	1486 15 6	646 1 8 381 9 8	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Something further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Dawes, W. T. ..	5133 4 3	148 10 4	319 13 9	4664 12 2 4433 14 1	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.
Dodd, Richard ...	37143 5 3	34036 10 6	2624 6 2	482 4 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
DeMello, A. H., 1st ..	4267 13 0	1714 0 3	1073 0 9	1480 12 0 1467 1 9	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Dumoulin, C F. ...	334 0 0	0 0 0	69 8 0	264 8 0	0 0 0	Ordered, and pays 50 Rs per month from his pay.
Dove, J. M. ..	10576 14 1	0 0 0	1001 10 0	9575 4 1	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Dessa, Joseph ..	712 4 7	0 0 0	94 6 0	617 14 7	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Fergusson, W. F., 1st ..	358 13 7	0 0 0	57 8 0	301 5 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Frith, Gordon and Co. ..	394 7 10	0 0 0	44 12 0	349 11 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ferrao, J. B. ..	388 3 11	0 0 0	44 12 0	343 7 11	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Fraser, D. W. ..	1757 10 9	0 0 0	665 10 4	1092 0 5	441 14 9	Ditto ditto.
Fabian, E. D. ..	4088 2 1	942 0 7	2168 12 4	977 5 2 228 4 2	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ordered, and pays Rs. 50 per month. A Policy on his life for Rs. 6400.
Ford, W. R. ..	2380 2 10	0 0 0	701 2 2	1679 0 8	0 0 0	Outstandings partly recoverable.
Fanshawe, R. F. 1st ..	2492 12 7	0 0 0	239 11 0	2253 1 7	0 0 0	Ordered, and pays a monthly deduction of his pay above Rupees 150.
Fraser, W. T. ..	1500 0 0	0 0 0	381 9 0	1118 7 0	0 0 0	Outstandings partly recoverable.
Gilmore, J., 1st ..	359 7 10	0 0 0	43 4 0	316 3 10	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.
Gopaul Chund ..	544 2 5	0 0 0	67 4 0	476 14 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Glass, A. G., (Glass and Co.) ..	3850 3 8	0 0 0	1132 13 2	2717 6 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Goberdhone Mullick ..	2880 14 9	138 11 2	734 14 0	2007 5 7 1518 13 1	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Several shipments; accounts unadjusted. Finally discharged.
Greenfield, Henry ..	9828 9 7	4542 13 2	4589 4 5	698 8 0 235 13 1	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.

Goureychurn Bannerjee ..	400 0 0	0 0 0	21 0 0	379 0 0	0 0 0		Ditto ditto ditto.
Greedhur Mullick ..	500 0 0	0 0 0	20 0 0	480 0 0	0 0 0		Several shipments; results unknown.
Gibson and Co. ..	127532 9 5	53390 2 8	72447 11 2	1674 11 7		Which is kept for unclaimed Dividends.	Large outstandings recoverable. Amongst the other payments a large sum is paid to the Agra Bank as per decree of Court.
Gregory, G. G. ..	1189 3 11	332 3 3	425 9 3	431 7 5 220 10 9		of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Nothing further recoverable.
Hervey, Andrew ..	65665 6 8	45410 7 8	5618 14 0	14636 1 0 4346 9 0		of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ordered, and pays half of his pay and allowances.
Hudson, Nathaniel ..	1968 14 3	0 0 0	104 12 0	1864 2 3	0 0 0		Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.
Heberlet, Andrew ..	707 4 7	70 0 0	63 4 0	574 0 7	0 0 0		Ditto ditto ditto.
Hurrosunker Ghose ..	1033 3 0	0 0 0	182 6 0	850 13 0	0 0 0		Ditto ditto.
Hollodhur Day ..	637 8 9	0 0 0	67 4 0	570 4 9	0 0 0		Nothing further recoverable.
Harrowell, James ...	251 6 6	0 0 0	17 0 0	234 6 6	0 0 0		Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Hoppe, William ..	1346 8 6	0 0 0	487 1 10	859 6 8	0 0 0		Nothing further recoverable.
Hughes and Templer ...	12052 4 1	5179 4 11	5930 11 4	942 3 10	0 0 0		Several outstandings. Amount of recoveries uncertain.
Harvard, J. H. M. ..	1612 0 0	0 0 0	993 9 2	618 6 10	0 0 0		Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Huffnagle and Co., Charles ..	1282 14 6	0 0 0	128 12 0	1154 2 6	0 0 0		Some outstandings. Recoveries uncertain.
Hurruck Chund Doogar ...	2118 14 0	0 0 0	294 2 0	1824 12 0	0 0 0		Schedule not yet filed.
Heinze, Ludwig ...	1256 14 0	0 0 0	469 14 4	786 15 8	0 0 0		Some outstandings to be recovered from a Suit now pending in England.
Hickie, William, 2nd ..	734 0 0	0 0 0	1 0 0	733 0 0	0 0 0		Ordered, and pays Rupees 50 per month from his pay.
Herraloll and Hunnoomontaram ..	752 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	752 14 3	0 0 0		Schedule not yet filed.
Hurrynarain Day ..	168170 5 7	61159 4 1	105991 15 7	1019 1 11 677 15 7		of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Jephson, George ..	295 8 11	0 0 0	48 9 2	246 15 9	0 0 0		Ditto ditto.
John Lackersteen and Brothers ...	310415 0 2	118567 2 11	172039 0 11	19808 12 4	4762 0 5		Several outstandings. Recoveries uncertain. A suit pending in Scotland.
Jacobs, C. B. M. ..	1408 7 0	263 4 0	845 13 9	299 5 3 283 8 3		of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Some small outstandings to be recovered.
Joy Gopaul Chatterjee ..	14489 5 6	0 0 0	3403 13 2	11085 8 4	0 0 0		Nothing further recoverable. Amount retained, subject to a claim.
Jerdan, George C. ..	3241 3 0	1283 6 7	1106 8 5	851 4 0 409 14 8		of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Something more recoverable. Ordered to pay Rupees 150 per month.
Kemp, H. C. (T. Hyde Gardiner and Co.) ..	29161 0 7	15281 0 9	4361 8 10	9518 7 0 8488 6 4		of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Nothing further recoverable.
Kelly, W. S. ..	1603 5 8	0 0 0	488 12 8	1114 8 7	0 0 0		Ditto ditto.
Kistomohun Bose ..	293 9 6	0 0 0	54 12 0	238 13 6	0 0 0		Ditto ditto.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of Receipts.	Whole Disbursements.		Balance Remaining.	Of the balance, there is invested in Government Securities, (the remainder being Cash in the Bank of Bengal.)	Probable Out-turn of the Dependencies.
		Dividends Paid.	Other Payments.			
Kistnopersaud and Hurrypersaud Chuckerbutty ..	371 0 7	0 0 0	32 4 0	338 12 7	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Kemp, H. C. ..	2469 15 10	0 0 0	105 4 0	2364 11 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Kerr, Norman ..	1268 2 0	0 0 0	74 0 10	1194 1 2	441 14 9	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
King, W. J. ..	5600 9 10	4122 9 3	1068 6 9	379 9 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto
Kleyn, Thomas ..	473 3 0	0 0 0	214 0 0	259 3 0	0 0 0	Some outstandings, recoveries uncertain.
Lake, Hamill and Co. ..	4414 13 6	0 0 0	1896 9 3	2518 4 3	1722 1 4	Nothing further recoverable; accounts unadjusted.
Lane, John Fraser ..	510 10 10	162 9 0	58 4 0	289 13 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged and died.
Leighton, H. J. ..	12674 6 4	11307 3 9	878 15 5	488 3 2	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Landeman, J. V. ..	712 6 10	0 0 0	83 4 0	629 2 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Lusignan, C. K. ...	367 11 10	0 0 0	34 4 0	333 7 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Lackersteen, C. R. and Co. ..	8522 7 5	596 14 3	1490 8 5	6435 0 9 5910 4 6	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Something further recoverable; amount uncertain. Large shipments; results unknown.
Lindsay, D. B. ..	1400 0 0	0 0 0	438 1 0	961 15 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Lord, Brothers ..	6300 9 0	0 0 0	1289 6 6	5011 2 6	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Lucas, C. P. ..	7148 14 0	3547 4 4	408 5 0	3193 4 8 3067 14 10	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Nothing further recoverable.
Lord, T. H. ..	2615 10 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	2615 10 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Mackenzie, R. (J. A. Currie & Co.).	2304 12 4	0 0 0	874 0 9	1430 11 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged.
Macdonald, R. C. ..	29651 1 5	18229 11 9	1935 3 11	9486 1 9 491 10 11	of which Rupees is for Dividends & Company's Paper for Rs. 8877-15-5.	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Macvitie, R. F. ..	1341 14 11	554 2 2	127 12 0	660 0 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged.
Macdonald, R. B. ...	3439 0 8	346 11 1	216 5 1	2876 0 6	883 13 1	Ditto ditto. Retained for creditors. Insolvent died.
Maclean, L. A. ..	524 2 1	169 9 4	64 4 0	290 4 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Melville, William ..	1320 8 5	0 0 0	67 5 10	1253 2 7	441 14 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Manuk, M. M. ..	604 8 8	0 0 0	67 4 0	537 4 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Morris, James, Senior ..	485 11 11	0 0 0	39 12 0	445 15 11	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Macnaghten, R. A. ..	368 8 3	0 0 0	39 12 0	328 12 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Manick Chunder Khan ...	469 11 6	0 0 0	77 4 0	392 7 6	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.
Monteith, John ..	811 0 3	20 12 0	58 4 0	732 0 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Murdoch, A. M. ...	513 2 3	0 0 0	67 4 0	445 14 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Murdoch, Mackenzie and Co. ...	5569 9 5	0 0 0	4899 6 8	670 2 9	0 0 0	Several outstandings, partly recoverable.
Macfarlane and Co. ..	11398 3 5	3944 10 0	6617 15 10	835 9 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.

Moorallydhur Newgy ..	1260 13 6	0 0 0	49 0 0	1211 13 6	0 0 0	Small outstandings desperate.
Mayer, F. ..	453 15 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	453 15 1	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Monk, William ..	350 0 0	0 0 0	42 10 6	307 5 6	0 0 0	Ordered to pay Rupees 50 per month Insolvent not to be found.
Mottley, Charles, 2nd ..	5500 0 0	4463 8 11	559 15 10	476 4 3	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Muddenmohun Bose ..	542 9 3	0 0 0	84 2 3	458 7 0	0 0 0	Some outstandings, recoveries uncertain.
Muddoosoodun Addy ..	2904 13 8	0 0 0	784 7 2	2120 6 6	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.
Marriott, G. W. ..	3826 10 2	0 0 0	597 0 0	3229 10 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Macdonald, Daniel ..	869 0 8	0 0 0	376 14 4	492 2 4	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nursing Chunder Bose ..	1030 0 0	0 0 0	61 11 0	968 5 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nyss, John ..	750 2 1	0 0 0	67 4 0	682 14 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Out of employ; pensioned.
Nilmadub Mookerjee ..	6 6 13 10	0 0 0	77 4 0	539 9 7	0 0 0	Ordered to pay Rupees 33-5-4 monthly, but he cannot be found.
Nilkaunt Sircar ..	574 14 11	0 0 0	77 4 0	497 10 11	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable
Nares, G. W. A. ..	292 12 6	0 0 0	55 12 0	237 0 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nilrutton Holdar, 1st ..	3380 14 2	2507 0 5	435 8 7	438 5 2 299 0 5	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged and died.
Norton, C. P. ..	1099 9 9	0 0 0	552 6 6	547 3 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nilrutton Holdar, 2nd ..	6 90 0 0	4863 4 1	875 7 10	451 4 1 389 12 10	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Nash, J. D. ..	2700 0 0	10 5 0 6	340 1 0	1344 14 6 9 14 9	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Ordered, and pays 50 Rupees per month.
Nemy Chund Bysack ..	1210 13 0	0 0 0	273 0 0	937 13 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Norman, Brothers ..	8672 14 6	0 0 0	2223 0 0	6449 14 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. A share of a Vessel to be sold.
Nittanund Sein & Radamohun Bose	1360 11 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	1360 11 9	0 0 0	Schedule not yet filed,
Omachurn Bonnerjee ...	6145 8 9	0 0 0	635 5 8	5700 3 1	2646 11 6	Nothing further recoverable; a suit pending.
Oboychurn Dutt ..	978 6 9	487 9 9	41 0 0	449 13 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged.
Oboychurn Mullick and others ..	725 4 5	0 0 0	60 4 0	665 0 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Orde, W. K. ..	1800 0 0	0 0 0	239 3 9	1560 12 3	0 0 0	Has life interest in a house let at 30 Rupees per month.
Patrick, William ..	1 69 10 6	0 0 0	83 6 10	1086 3 8	441 14 9	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.
Pittis, Edward ..	1414 5 11	0 0 0	86 15 10	1327 6 1	441 14 9	Ditto ditto ditto.
Palmer, John ..	5325 3 8	3938 2 7	595 0 4	792 0 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Perry, Thomas ..	377 7 0	0 0 0	65 12 0	311 11 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Palmer, H. G. ..	326 5 5	0 0 0	55 12 0	270 9 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Pew, P. L. ..	47028 15 0	498 5 3	7594 14 6	38935 11 3 26286 12 3	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment and Co.'s Paper for Rs. 10936-1-9.	All the Estate consisting of joint-stock shares under mortgage; value uncertain. A share in the Richmond Estate. Malabar Coast. Insolvent died.
Palmer, Thomas ..	1473 0 0	0 0 0	746 4 9	726 11 3	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Pillans, M. A. ..	5513 5 9	0 0 0	921 7 0	4591 14 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Railey, G. F. (W. Newson and Co.)	11125 2 9	6955 9 0	2732 4 10	1437 4 11	0 0 0	Recoveries uncertain. Accounts generally disputed. Finally discharged.

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		Dividends Paid.	Other Payments.			
Rogers, A. ..	9058 4 6	0 0 0	3610 3 6	5448 1 0	1767 10 6	All property under mortgage. Accounts unadjusted. Insolvent died.
Russell, C. D. ..	7339 11 6	5872 15 2	702 4 2	766 8 2 83 2 7	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Retained for Creditors. Finally discharged. Nothing further recoverable.
Robertson, J. C. ..	383 14 8	0 0 0	58 12 0	325 2 8	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Rogoonauth Bose ..	1678 13 4	517 12 5	221 14 6	939 2 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Ramkissen Colleah ..	371 11 7	0 0 0	58 12 0	312 15 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Rajkissore Dutt, 1st ..	3579 12 4	0 0 0	386 7 9	3193 4 7	883 13 3	Ditto ditto. Retained for Creditors.
Roussac, A. G. ..	11424 6 9	8754 9 9	880 3 3	1849 9 9 1132 5 5	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Ditto ditto
Rushton, William ..	837 4 0	126 12 0	66 4 0	644 4 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Outstandings desperate.
Ryan, E. B. ..	633 8 9	0 0 0	66 4 0	567 4 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Ramnarain Naug ..	7898 8 6	5122 1 0	2529 11 6	246 12 0 210 0 0	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Ditto ditto ditto.
Rustomjee Cowasjee ..	449 12 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	449 12 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Rustomjee Cowasjee and Co. ...	9302 11 7	0 0 0	5603 1 1	3699 10 6	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Ramsabuck Misser and two others..	3874 6 6	0 0 0	1172 15 2	2701 7 4	0 0 0	Large outstandings ; recoveries uncertain.
Russell, J. L. ...	1095 7 6	0 0 0	809 11 0	285 12 6	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.
Rajkissen Bysack ...	850 0 0	0 0 0	233 12 0	616 4 0	0 0 0	There are outstandings, but recoveries uncertain.
Reed, Peter Henry ..	449 4 0	0 0 0	169 12 0	279 8 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Ramnarain Sreemany ..	2164 4 6	0 0 0	1375 2 0	789 2 6	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Ritchie, A. S. ..	573 14 7	0 0 0	100 10 0	473 4 7	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Robinson, J. J. (Wallace and Co.)..	2889 4 2	0 0 0	1857 1 0	1032 3 2	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery at Rangoon.
Saunders, S. J. ..	14404 15 6	10550 3 5	1225 2 11	2629 9 2 2504 11 10	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Nothing further recoverable. Retired from the service.
Sinaes, W. D'M. ..	2826 6 9	2156 12 4	413 11 7	255 14 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Smith, W. S. ..	520 13 5	0 0 0	76 12 0	444 1 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto
Stocqueler, J. H. ..	5615 2 4	0 0 0	5236 3 4	378 15 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto
Savigny, Joseph ..	1522 13 1	724 10 10	162 15 9	635 2 6 84 6 0	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Schlatter, Michael ..	15105 12 10	5702 8 9	1283 2 11	8120 1 2 6090 15 0	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Ditto ditto ditto.
Speede, G. T. F. ..	340 8 7	24 0 0	48 12 0	267 12 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged.
Sage, J. W. ..	599 5 8	0 0 0	65 12 0	533 9 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Sumbhoonath Mullick ..	452 10 5	0 0 0	64 2 0	387 14 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged.
Smoult, W. H. ..	1410 15 1	0 0 0	78 4 6	1332 10 7	441 7 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Sheppard, G. A. ..	5145 5 5	3991 11 3	390 13 5	762 2 9	0 0 0	Some small outstandings recoverable.

Sarkies and Co., P. J. ..	56013 1 1	5924 2 9	49154 7 3	934 7 1 538 8 3	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Nothing further recoverable. Finally discharged.
Sarkies, P. J. ..	9955 8 10	5802 5 0	2874 11 5	1278 8 5 1072 15 7	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ditto ditto ditto.
Scott, C. C. J. ..	7413 13 9	4659 10 11	845 9 9	1908 9 1 675 10 4	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Stewart, Patrick ...	1298 14 9	0 0 0	1046 9 10	252 4 11	0 0 0	A small sum further recoverable.
Simpson, James ..	1905 10 4	1147 14 10	474 3 6	283 8 0 20 2 6	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Nothing further recoverable.
Smith, Huffnagle and Co. ..	21344 15 0	9051 13 11	10112 14 10	2180 2 3 12 14 5	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Large outstandings; recoveries uncertain.
Stubbs, W. V. G. ..	3435 12 6	0 0 0	1460 6 4	1975 6 2	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Snook, J. V. ..	775 10 0	0 0 0	14 0 0	761 10 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.
Tettley, George ..	283 5 9	0 0 0	39 12 0	243 9 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Thomas, Robert, 1st ..	631 4 1	0 0 0	72 4 0	559 0 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Finally discharged.
Turner, James ..	415 11 11	0 0 0	61 4 0	354 7 11	0 0 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Turton, Sir T. E. M. ..	230766 13 3	109453 15 4	98250 6 4	23062 7 7 15457 2 3	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ditto ditto. Insolvent died.
Thomas, G. P. ..	2402 1 7	0 0 0	468 6 6	1933 11 1	0 0 0	Ordered to pay Rs. 96 per month, but not paid up.
Twentyman and Co. ...	248 9 6	0 0 0	14 4 8	234 4 10	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Templeton, M. S. ..	2180 14 10	1337 10 11	526 10 0	316 9 11 93 9 10	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment.	Ordered, and pays Rs. 100 per month.
Twentyman, W. J. ..	1502 8 7	0 0 0	203 0 0	1299 8 7	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Vandenberg, J. B., 1st ..	3368 10 8	0 0 0	2288 2 9	1080 7 11	0 0 0	Something recoverable annually by Interest on a Trust Fund.
Vandenberg, J. B., 2d ..	4267 13 0	2386 5 8	266 15 0	1614 8 4 1560 8 10	of which Rupees is for Dividends now in course of payment	Nothing further recoverable.
Williams, Stephen ..	14073 10 2	7646 6 7	1249 2 8	5178 0 11 521 9 11	of which Rupees is for Dividends.	Ordered, and pays Rs. 141 per month.
Waring, E. S. S. ..	2569 1 11	1769 2 9	302 6 3	499 8 11	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Watkinson, John ..	327 4 6	0 0 0	38 12 0	288 8 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Woodford, C. T. O. ..	2050 0 0	1158 6 11	579 14 6	311 10 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Wood, David ..	350 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	350 0 0	0 0 0	Ordered, and pays Rupees 50 per month.
Young, Joseph ..	500 0 0	0 0 0	204 10 9	295 5 3	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent died.

In addition to the above there are 143 Estates under Rupees 220 each, aggregating Rupees 170,61-7-4, the particulars of which may be learnt at my Office. There are also in my hands in Company's Paper Three Thousand and Cash Rupees 4,160-6-11, being the balance after having paid 69 per Cent. by Mr. O'Dowda.

The Official Assignee has received for remuneration for the last quarter, on the Estates above enumerated, Company's Rupees Four Hundred and Forty-three, eight annas and seven pies.

JOHN COCHRANE,
Official Assignee.

Calcutta, 1st February 1856.

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Land-Sale Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section VI., Act I. of 1845, that the under-mentioned Estates in Zillah Sylhet will be put up to public and unreserved Sale at the Collector's Office of that District, on the 3rd day of March 1856, for arrears of Revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of Revenue due on the 18th day of January 1856.

Clause I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 54.—Talook Hurry Narain Dutt and Ramkisto Dutt, Pergunnah Daccadukin; recorded proprietor, Chunder Pershaud Deb; sudder jumma, rupees 16-10-3.

No. 372.—Talook Bijoy Ram Dutt, Pergunnah Daccadukin; recorded proprietor, Radha Bullub Dutt; sudder jumma, rupees 10-3-10.

No. 373.—Talook Madhub Ram Dutt, Pergunnah Daccadukin; recorded proprietor, Kaleka Pershaud; sudder jumma, rupees 10-7-3.

No. 4.—Talook Onunt Ram Chowdry, Pergunnah Ooturgatch; recorded proprietor, Shubol Ram Doss; sudder jumma, rupees 27-11-9

No. 7. No. 2309-4.—Mududmash Mahomed Shuffee, Khunkar Nunnee Beebee, Pergunnah Sunkhire; recorded proprietor, himself, sudder jumma, rupees 16-7-8.

No. 111. No. 2692-1.—Tunkha Gunneshur Bhutt, Ramlochun Nacpunchanun, Pergunnah Daccadukin; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 35-3-5.

No. 3. No. 4275-22.—Mududmash Rohemkhan Ashrufally, Pergunnah Ooturgatch; sudder jumma, rupees 10-3-9.

No. 1589.—Talook Omed Ram, Pergunnah Chapghaut; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 21-8-9.

No. 13.—Talook Olfut Mahomed, Pergunnah Bhorun; recorded proprietors, Hurry Ram and others; sudder jumma, rupees 23-7-5.

No. 16.—Talook Roghoo Ram Paul, Pergunnah Punchkhundkalla; recorded proprietors, Shoda Nund and others; sudder jumma, rupees 24-0-0.

No. 58.—Talook Emambux, Pergunnah Bahadoorpore; recorded proprietors, Jeeaoolah and others; sudder jumma, rupees 10-3-10.

No. 282.—Talook Ahmeer Mahomed, Pergunnah Kooshearcool; recorded proprietors, Kally Churn Surmah and others; sudder jumma, rupees 12-12-10.

No. 337.—Talook Shonakam Mooktaram, Pergunnah Kooshearcool; recorded proprietor, Moolook Chundro; sudder jumma, rupees 20-4-3.

No. 340.—Talook Woolfut Warish, Pergunnah Kooshearcool; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 11-15-2.

No. 5. No. 4636-6.—Mududmash Syud Moosakhunkar, Pottah Khamar Meeah, and Golam Reza, Pergunnah Chapghat; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 13-2-4.

No. 1. No. 2198-3.—Cheragee Mooftee Mahomed Diem, Pottah Gouree Churn Paul, Pergunnah Punchhundkalla; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 11-15-5.

No. 1. No. 1998-8.—Cheragee Kootool Awaliah Hosainbux, Kunkar Pottah, Moulvee Khohloolah, Pergunnah Protabgor; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 16-0-6.

No. 2. No. 2482-2.—Mududmash Mahomed Baser Pottah, Mahomed Hosain and Golam Reza, Pergunnah Barohaul; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 10-13-10.

No. 3. No. 2482-2.—Mududmash ditto Pottah, Mahomed Munsoor, Mahomed Baser, Mahomed Nazim, Shofath Banoo, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 13-1-11.

No. 2. No. 4555-1.—Nancar Kanoongoe, Mosoodbuksh Pottah, Joymonee Surma, Mohun Ram Doss, Roop Churn Surma, Neetie Doss, Bhageeruthee Debia, Parbutty Debia, Gour Doss, Kolly Churn Doss, Joshmonth Ram Surma, Jeeolee Dossee, Chundee Churn Surma, Ram Churn Doss, Rajbollub Doss, Ramkisheen Doss, Joygobind Doss, Kistokanth Surma, and Sunker Paul, Pergunnah Barohaul; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 10-0-8.

No. 1531.—Talook Mahomed Moorad, Pergunnah Lunglah; recorded proprietor, Rezanally; sudder jumma, rupees 15-2-4.

No. 3. No. 554-7.—Cheragee Durgie Shaw Tooker, Pottah Ashgurally and Beebun Beebee, Pergunnah Lunglah; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 11-2-4.

No. 1. No. 1530-78.—Mududmash Syud Mahomed Noim, Pottah Hafizakhatoon, Syud Nazirally and Booranoodin Hossein, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 19-14-8.

No. 66.—Talook Dowluthkhan, Pergunnah Sheik Shonaitha; recorded proprietor, Madhubram Surma; sudder jumma, rupees 30-8-1.

No. 87.—Talook Joyram Khan, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietors, Ramgobind and others; sudder jumma, rupees 10-0-5.

No. 2.—Talook Gokool Shodeb, Pergunnah Havilley Jatooah; recorded proprietors, Gungaram and others; sudder jumma, rupees 47-12-7.

No. 328.—Talook Cazejelloodeen, Pergunnah Coureeah; recorded proprietors, Kamdebram and others; sudder jumma, rupees 17-1-1.

No. 348.—Talook Bhobanee Churn, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietors, Rajah and others; sudder jumma, rupees 258-5-7.

No. 351.—Talook Binoderam, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietors, Bijoyram and others; sudder jumma, rupees 16-10-3.

No. 103.—Talook Rajkisto Roy, Pergunnah Havilley Shonaitha; recorded proprietors, Mahomed Esa and others; sudder jumma, rupees 16-3-5.

No. 44.—Talook Korumhazaree, Pergunnah Laoor; recorded proprietors, Bukshee and others; sudder jumma, rupees 17-1-1

No. 67.—Talook Kashul, Pergunnah Laoor; recorded proprietors, Peerally and others; sudder jumma, 31-2-4.

No. 114.—Talook Shonaram, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, Radhakanth Doss; sudder jumma, rupees 37-1-11.

No. 121.—Talook Onunthram Anund, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 15-12-7.

No. 4.—Mehal Seega Buktear Sing, Pottah Shohuroolah, Abidoolah, Rohomuthoolah, Jellall Mahomed, Banoo Shaw and Lall Mahomed, Pergunnah Hashnabad; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 10-6-2.

No. 5.—Mehal Seegah, Mahomedally Khan, Pottah Mosoomuth, Bunnoo Beebee, Chand Beebee, Syud Akhatoon and Dongoorram Doss, Pergunnah Noigong; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 54-6-2.

No. 6. No. 3052-3.—Mududmash Peer Bodur Allum, Pottah Khoorshad Allum, Syud Johoor Allum and Syud Jeegurdusth Allum, Pergunnah Atooahjan; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 17-11-5.

No. 2. No. 4541-1.—Nankar No. 2, Mahomed Afzul, Pergunnah Sheekshinaitha; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 10-7-10.

No. 1. No. 3102-2.—Mududmash Danameeah, No. 1, Mehar Banoo, Pergunnah Paglah; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 29-11-7.

No. 3. No. 2941-20.—Cheragee Sherjunmah Khan, Pottah Abdoolally, Mahomed Adil, Jolill Mahomed, and Mahomed Ashruf, Pergunnah Coureeah; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 25-11-2.

No. 1. No. 2959-49.—Mududmash Mahomed Tally, Pottah Shamram Doss, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 23-9-1.

No. 5. No. 2959-49.—Mududmash Mahomed Ally, Pottah Sheik Omed, Sreekisto Surma, Ahmeer, Sheik Easdy and Gooroopersaud Chowdry, Pergunnah Coureeah; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 12-13-0.

No. 7. No. 2958-62.—Mududmash Mirjafur, Pottah Ally Reza and Mahomed Azim; Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 21-0-1.

No. 1. No. 2954-83.—Mududmash Rohim Khan, Pottah Sheik Shahebdy and Nubby, Noor Mahomed, Noboo, Charoo, Sheik Beerie, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor himself; sudder jumma, rupees 16-8-6.

No. 24. No. 3027-11.—Mududmash Rohimkhan, Pottah Bysnub Churn Dhur, and Brojo Kishore Deb, Pergunnah Echacolush; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 11-9-0.

No. 5. No. 3063-1.—Mududmash Arzanally, Pottah Syud Mozofurally, Pergunnah Kismut Atooajaun; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 11-9-1.

No. 1. No. 4267-9.—Cheragee, Noaz Shaw and others, Pottah Somee Shaw, Shabaun Shaw, Pergunnah Laoor; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 11-9-9.

No. 10. No. 4267-9.—Ditto ditto, Pottah Kacharam Doss, Gonesh Ram Surma, Ramhurry Surma, Benode Ram Deb, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 10-13-5.

No. 6.—Talook Ramkisto Zootah, Pergunnah Bajah Shonaitha; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 23-4-1.

No. 30.—Talook Modhusoodun, Pergunnah Jalshooka; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 75-11-9.

No. 14. No. 1897-1.—Nankar Moujrai, Pottah Kally Nath Surma, Brijogobind Bhooi, Moulvee Mahomed Idris Khan, Roygoind Bhooi, Pergunnah Kismut Baja Shonaitha; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 15-2-6.

No. 3. No. 3729-2.—Nancar Omed Reza and Koorban Reza, Pottah Joman Reza, Pergunnah Baniachong; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 17-4-0.

No. 1719. No. 4496.—Chowgurkhanaaree, Pottah Mosomut Womunkhyr Beebee, Pergunnah Baneachong; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 13-7-4.

No. 1968 No. 4496.—Chowgurkhanabaree, Pottah ditto ditto ditto ditto; sudder jumma, rupees 11-1-8.

No. 1. No. 3679-1.—Cheragee Nuseeroolah, Pottah Gour Churn Doss, Pergunnah Bowaljor; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 10-3-10.

No. 2. No. 3647-5.—Mududmash Goasoodeen, Pottah Mahomed Ashgur, Mosimoolah, Jakir Mahomed, Basir Mahomed, Anwor Mahomed, Sheik Baparee, Mahomed Kazim, Khan Mahomed, Sheik Baroo, Pergunnah Batricool; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 16-3-0.

No. 5.—Mehaul Halabaddy, Talook Joygopaul Chowdry and Shamanund Roy, Pergunnah Doolally; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 19-3-2.

No. 1.—Talook Roghoonundun, Pergunnah Allynogur; recorded proprietors, Kanie Paul and others; sudder jumma, rupees 31-12-7.

No. 5.—Talook Jeebun Roy, Pergunnah Allinogur; recorded proprietor, A. J. Vincent; sudder jumma, rupees 88-1-8.

No. 21.—Talook Juggoo Roy, Pergunnah Havilley Mourapore; recorded proprietor, Adith Ram; sudder jumma, rupees 12-2-7.

No. 27.—Talook Gelaum Gouse, Pergunnah Bahshira; recorded proprietors Chand Ram and others; sudder jumma, rupees 47-9-2.

No. 5. No. 4778-11.—Khaneh Baree, Anund Ram Dutt, Gourkisere Dutt, and Neelkunt Dutt, Pottah Bydeenath Dybuggy, Govind Dybuggy, Bhorosha Ram Deb, Gonie Nath, Shumbhoo Nath, Sheek Damoo, Monee Chung, Jadub Chung, Govind Chung, Moolook Ram Naoo, Laloo Ram Loohar, Juggooram Shonar, Boshoonauth, Shona Nath, Naroo Nath, Sheeb Nath, Okee Nath, Bhoohee Nath, Sheek Sheedee, Juggurnath Dutt, Doolub Nath, Pergunnah Sathgow; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 22-0 0.

No. 35. No. 4492-1.—Charagee Pottah Alimoodeen, Kisto Ram Deb, Mahomed Hazee, Mohorum Khan, Isuboolah, Areza Bebee, Pergunnah Chytunnogun; recorded proprietor, Doorgachurn Mojoomdar; sudder jumma, rupees 14-2-8.

No. 274.—Talook Mooktaram, Pergunnah Rajoorah; recorded proprietors, Doorgachurn Deb and others; sudder jumma, rupees 53-5-4.

No. 2.—Talook Syud Ahmudally, Hissa Syed, Modun Reza, Pergunnah Turruf; recorded proprietors, Rambullub Deb and others; sudder jumma, rupees 2874-3-2.

No. 2.—Talook ditto, Hissa Syud Hamed Reza, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietors, Shaw Korimool Hosain and others; sudder jumma, rupees 710-5-4.

No. 2.—Talook ditto, Hissa Syud Kolim Reza, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietors, Joygobind Roy and others; sudder jumma, rupees 718-12-10.

No. 758.—Talook Akooth Ram, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietors, Shahhebram and others; sudder jumma, rupees 10-12-10.

No. 1120.—Talook Shoba Ram Baparee, Pergunnah Turruff; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 20-9-7.

No. 1220.—Talook Kashigunga-hurteeluck-attah and Shaker Mehomed, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 11-5-4.

No. 1254.—Talook Ahamud Ahid, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 18-1-1.

No. 1338.—Talook Anisa Banoo, Pergunnah ditto; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 40-14-11.

No. 153.—Talook Kartick Sing, Pergunnah Bamoi; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 11-9-7.

No. 7. No. 1180-3.—Mududmash Syud Mahomed Mendhee, Pottah Obhoya Churn Kur, Shama Churn Kur, Syud Arshud Ally, Pergunnah Turruf; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 15-8-11.

No. 83. No. 919-2.—Mududmash Shaw Godahossein, Pottah Sheik Meeadhun, Pergunnah Godahosseinnogur; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 13-1-2.

No. 5. No. 1864-1.—Haneh Baree Mahomed Afzul, Pottah Ibrahim, Pergunnah Daoodnogur; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 10-8-5.

No. 1. No. 22-9.—Mududmash Chuck Jamal Mahomed, Pottah Radhagobind Audicarry, Pergunnah Bamoi; recorded proprietor, himself; sudder jumma, rupees 29-2-1.

F. A. GLOVER,
Officiating Collector.

SYLHET COLLECTORSHIP,
The 7th February 1856.

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Notifications.

THE 14TH MAY 1853.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, from the 1st July next, Public Officers employed under this Government are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of the Government Work from and after that date.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE 2ND FEBRUARY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, all Public Officers under the Government of India at the Presidency are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of Government Work.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1856.

Legislative Council.

The 23rd February 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Most Noble the Governor General on the 22nd February 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. V OF 1856.

An Act to give effect to Act XXIII of 1854 *from the time of its promulgation in the District of Malabar, and to extend the application thereof in future.*

Preamble.

WHEREAS by a proclamation published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, under date the 18th September 1855, the Governor in Council of Fort St. George declared the whole of the District of Malabar to be subject to the operation of all the provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 ; and whereas long prior to such publication, namely, before the 1st of March 1855, the said Act had been published and promulgated throughout the District of Malabar, and was believed by the class of persons therein described as Moplas, and by all other classes of the inhabitants, to be immediately operative ; and it is expedient that the said Act should have effect according to the general belief and understanding in that respect ; and whereas it is expedient to extend the application of the said Act : It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Act XXIII of 1854 to be deemed to have been in force from the 1st of March 1855.

I. Act XXIII of 1854 shall be deemed to have been in force for all purposes from the 1st March 1855 in the same manner as if the said proclamation had been published on that date.

Provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 extended to all murders, &c. committed by Moplas.

II. From and after the passing of this Act, the provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 shall apply to any Mopla who murders or attempts to murder any person ; and to any Mopla who takes part in any outrage directed by Moplas against any person wherein murder is committed or attempted to be, committed or is likely to be committed, and to any person who shall procure or promote the commission of any such crime as aforesaid, or shall incite or encourage any other person or persons to commit the same, or who, after having committed or having been accessary to any such crime as aforesaid, shall forcibly resist any person or persons having lawful authority to apprehend him, or who shall join or assist, or incite or encourage other persons to join or assist in such resistance.

Construction of Act.

III. The said Act XXIII of 1854 and this Act shall be read and construed together as one Act.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Legislative Council.

The 29th February 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Most Noble the Governor General on the 28th February 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. VI OF 1856.

An Act for granting exclusive privileges to Inventors.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient, for the encouragement of Inventors of new manufactures, that certain exclusive privileges in their inventions should be granted to them in India ; It is enacted as follows :—

Inventor may petition for leave to file specification.

I. The inventor of any new manufacture may petition the Governor General of India in Council for leave to file a specification thereof. Every such petition shall be in

writing in the form or to the effect mentioned in the Schedule hereunto annexed, and shall be signed by the petitioner, or, in case the petitioner shall be absent from India, by an authorized agent, and shall state the name, addition, and place of residence of the petitioner, and the nature of the invention.

Form, &c., of petition.

II. Upon such petition, the Governor General of India in Council may make an order authorizing the petitioner to file a specification of the invention.

Order to file specification.

III. Before making such order, the Governor General of India in Council may refer the petition to any person or persons for enquiry and report, and such person or persons shall be entitled to a reasonable fee for such enquiry and report to be paid by the petitioner; the amount of such fee, in case of dispute, to be settled by a Judge of one of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature in a summary manner.

Power to refer petition for enquiry and report.

IV. If, within the space of six calendar months from the date of such order, the petitioner cause a specification of his invention to be filed in manner hereinafter mentioned, the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall be entitled to the sole and exclusive privilege of making, selling, and using the said invention in India, and of authorizing others so to do for the term of 14 years from the time of filing such specification and for such further term, if any, not exceeding 14 years from the expiration of the first14 years, as the Governor General of India in Council may think fit to direct, upon petition to be presented by such inventor, at any period not more than one year, and not less than six calendar months, before the expiration of the exclusive privilege hereby granted.

Petitioner entitled to exclusive privilege for 14 years from the time of filing specification.

Extension of term of exclusive privilege.

V. An order authorizing the filing of a specification, or for extending the term of such exclusive privilege as aforesaid, may be made subject to any such conditions and restrictions as the Governor General of India in Council may think expedient.

Order to file specification may be made subject to condition.

VI. Every specification of an invention filed under this Act, shall be in writing, and shall be signed by the petitioner, and shall particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the said invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

Specification to in writing and to describe the invention.

VII. Every petition for leave to file a specification and every specification filed under this Act shall be left with the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, and every petition and specification shall be accompanied by a declaration in writing signed by the petitioner in the form or to the effect mentioned in the Schedule hereunto annexed, marked A and B respectively; and if the inventor be absent from India, the petition and specification shall also be accompanied by a declaration signed by the agent who shall present or file the same, to the effect that he verily believes that the declaration purporting to be the declaration of the inventor, was signed by him, and that the contents thereof are true, which declaration shall be in the form hereunto annexed, marked C. The date of the delivery of every such petition and specification shall be endorsed on the same respectively and shall also be recorded at the office of the said Secretary.

Petition and specification to be left with Secretary to Government.

Petition, &c. to be accompanied by declaration.

Date of delivery to be endorsed on petition

VIII. If any person, who shall make a declaration under this Act, shall wilfully and corruptly make any false statement therein, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and shall be proceeded against and upon conviction punished accordingly.

False statement in declaration punishable as perjury.

IX. No specification shall be filed until the petitioner shall have paid all fees payable under this Act, including the fees, if any, of the person or persons to whom the petition shall have been referred for inquiry and report.

Specification not to be filed before payment of fees.

X. At the time of delivering the specification for the purpose of being filed, the petitioner shall cause to be delivered to the said Secretary five copies thereof, of which

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Bengal,

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Fort St. George,

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Bombay, and

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

A copy of such specification shall be open at all reasonable times at the office of each of the said Secretaries to public inspection upon payment of a fee of one rupee.

Copies of specification to be delivered and distributed.

To be opened to inspection.

XI. A book shall be kept in the office of the said Secretary to the Government of India wherein shall be entered and recorded every such petition and specification and every order made upon such petition or relating to the invention therein mentioned. Every specification shall be numbered according to the order in which it is entered in such book; and a reference shall be made in such book, in the margin of the entry of each specification, to every order relating to the invention.

Book for the registry of petitions, specifications, &c.

XII. Such book, or a copy thereof, shall be open at all convenient times for the inspection of any person upon payment of a fee of one rupee; and the said Secretary shall cause a copy of any entry therein, certified under his hand, to be given to any person requiring the same, on payment of the expense of copying.

Inspection of registry book.

Certified copy of entry to be given.

XIII. Every such certified copy shall be *primâ facie* evidence of the document of which it purports to be a copy.

Certified copy to be *primâ facie* evidence.

XIV. No person shall be entitled to any exclusive privilege under the provisions of this Act—

No person entitled to exclusive privilege in any of the following cases.

If the invention, at the time of presenting the petition for leave to file the specification, was not a new invention,

If invention not new,

If the petitioner is not the inventor thereof, or

If petitioner is not inventor, or

If the specification filed does not particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

If specification does not describe the invention.

XV. Every exclusive privilege under this Act shall cease if the Governor General of India in Council shall declare that the same, or the mode in which it is exercised, is mischievous to the State, or generally prejudicial to the public; or if a breach of any special condition on which the petitioner shall be authorized to file a specification, or upon which the term of the exclusive privilege shall be extended, shall be proved to the satisfaction of any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature, and if the Governor General of India shall thereupon declare that such exclusive privilege shall cease.

Exclusive privilege to cease if Government declares it mischievous, &c. to public.

Or if Government, upon breach of condition, declare that it shall cease.

XVI. The importer into India of a new invention shall be deemed an inventor within the meaning of this Act. Provided that the exclusive privilege under this Act shall cease unless he or his executors, administrators, or assigns shall, within two years from the date of the petition, put his invention into practice in India, and shall either continue to use the same or grant licenses upon reasonable terms to such persons as shall be willing to put the same into practice.

Importer of invention to be deemed an inventor.

His privilege to cease unless invention be put into practice in India within two years.

XVII. A foreigner, whether resident abroad or not, may petition for leave to file a specification under this Act.

Foreign inventor.

XVIII. An invention shall be deemed a new invention within the meaning of this Act, if it shall not, before the time of applying for leave to file the specification, have been publicly used in India or been made publicly known there by means of a printed publication. The public use or knowledge of an invention prior to the application for leave to file a specification, shall not be deemed a public use or knowledge within the meaning of this Section if the knowledge shall have been obtained surreptitiously or in fraud of the actual inventor or shall have been communicated to the public in fraud of the actual inventor or in breach of confidence. Provided the inventor shall, within six calendar months after the commencement of such public use, apply for leave to file his specification and shall not previously have acquiesced in such public use. Provided also, that the use of an invention in public by the actual inventor thereof, or by his servants or agents, or by any other person by his license in writing, shall not be deemed a public use thereof within the meaning of this Act.

An invention not publicly used or known in India before the application for leave to file a specification, to be deemed a new invention within this Act.

Knowledge of invention fraudulently acquired.

Proviso.

Public use by actual inventor.

XIX. If an actual inventor who, prior to the time of applying for leave to file a specification of an invention under this Act, shall have obtained Her Majesty's Letters Patent for the exclusive use of such invention, in any part of the United Kingdom, shall, within twelve calendar months from the passing of this Act, or within six calendar months from the date of such Letters Patent, petition the Governor General of India in Council for leave to file a specification of such invention, the invention shall be deemed a new invention within the meaning of this Act, if it was not publicly known or used in India at the date of the petition for such Letters Patent, notwithstanding it may have been publicly known or used in India before the time of his petitioning, under this Act, for leave to file the specification; and if the actual inventor shall obtain an exclusive privilege under this Act, in respect of such invention, any exclusive privilege previously obtained by an importer of such invention shall thereupon cease. Provided the petition for leave to file the specification shall state that such Letters Patent have been granted, and shall also state the date thereof and the term during which the same are to continue in force.

Actual inventor having obtained English Letters Patent to petition within 12 months from the passing of this Act, or within 6 months from the date of the letters patent.

Invention, if not publicly known or used in India at the time of applying for such Letters Patent, to be deemed new.

If actual inventor obtain an exclusive privilege, any privilege obtained by an importer shall cease.

What to be stated in such petition.

XX. No exclusive privilege obtained under this Act shall entitle the owner of such privilege to exclude any person from using the invention, who, prior to the 7th day of July 1855, used the same in India.

Saving of rights of persons who used invention before 7th of July 1855.

XXI. An action may be maintained by an inventor against any person who, during the continuance of any exclusive privilege granted by this Act, shall, without the license of the said inventor, make, use, sell, or put in practice the said invention, or who shall counterfeit or imitate the same. Provided that no such action shall be maintained in any of the Courts of the East India Company other than the principal Court of original jurisdiction in civil cases within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the cause of action shall accrue or the defendant shall reside as a fixed inhabitant.

Action for infringemen.

XXII. No such action shall be defended upon the ground of any defect or insufficiency of the specification of the invention, nor shall any such action be defended upon the ground of a misdescription of the invention in the petition; nor upon the ground that the Plaintiff was not the inventor, unless the defendant shall show that he is the actual inventor or derives title from him. Any such ac-

Defect in specification or petition, or want of novelty in invention, &c., no defence to action for infringement.

The actual use of an invention in India before date of petition, a defence to such action.

tion may be defended upon the ground that the invention was not new, if the person making the defence, or some person through whom he claims, shall, before the date of the petition for leave to file the specification, have publicly or actually used in India the invention, or that part of it of which the infringement shall be proved; but not otherwise.

Application to Supreme Courts to declare exclusive privilege as to an invention not to have been acquired on following grounds.

XXIII. It shall be lawful for any person to apply by motion to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature for a rule to show cause why the Court should not declare that an exclusive privilege in respect of an invention has not been acquired under the provisions of this Act by reason of all or any of the objections following (to be specified in the rule), that is to say—

Invention not new.

That the said invention was not, at the time of presenting the petition for leave to file the specification, a new invention, or

Petition not the inventor, &c.

That the petitioner was not the inventor thereof, and, in addition thereto, either that the applicant was the inventor or that the inventor has dedicated or made known the invention to the public or has acquiesced in the public use thereof, or

Invention not described in specification.

That the specification filed does not particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the invention or in what manner the same is to be performed, or

Fraud in petition or specification.

That the petitioner has fraudulently included in the petition or specification as part of his invention something which was not new or whereof he was not the inventor, or

False statement in petition.

That the petitioner has wilfully made a false statement in his petition, or

Frandulent misdescription of part of invention in specification.

That some part of the invention, or the manner in which that part is to be performed as described in the said specification, is not thereby sufficiently described and ascertained, and that such defect or insufficiency was fraudulent, and is injurious to the public.

Like application as to part of an invention.

XXIV. Any person may, in like manner, apply to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature for a rule to show cause why the Court should not declare that an exclusive privilege has not been acquired under the provisions of this Act in any part of the invention to be specified in the rule by reason of all or any of the objections following (to be specified in the rule,) that is to say—

That such part of the invention was not new at the date of the petition for leave to file the specification,

That the petitioner was not the inventor of that part of the invention, and, in addition thereto, either that the applicant was the inventor of that part or that the inventor has dedicated or made known the same to the public or has acquiesced in the public use thereof, or

That that part of the invention, and the manner in which it is to be performed, is not sufficiently described and ascertained in the specification, and that such defect or insufficiency is injurious to the public.

Application by Advocate General, &c., on breach of special condition.

XXV. It shall be lawful for the Advocate General of the East India Company at any of the Presidencies of Fort William in Bengal, Fort St. George, and Bombay, or any other person, by order of the Governor General in Council, to apply to any of the said Courts of Judicature for a rule calling upon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, to show cause why the question of the breach of any special condition upon which the leave to file a specification has been granted, or any other question of fact on which the revocation of the exclusive privilege by the Governor General in Council under the power hereinbefore reserved may, in the judgment of the said Governor General in Council, depend, should not be tried in the form of an issue directed by the said Court; and, if the rule be made absolute, the Court, unless the breach or other matter of fact be admitted, may thereupon direct such issue to be tried, and certify the result of such trial to the Governor General in Council. The costs of such trial, and also the costs of any proceedings in any of the said Courts of Judicature under the provisions of this Act, shall be in the discretion of the Court.

Service of proceedings on all persons interested.

XXVI. Notice of any rule obtained or proceeding taken under either of the last three preceding Sections shall be served on all persons appearing to be proprietors or to have shares or interests in the exclusive privilege under the provisions of Section XXXIV of this Act, and it shall not be necessary to serve such notice on any other persons.

Supreme Court may direct any issue for trial to other Courts.

XXVII. Any of the said Courts of Judicature, if it think fit, may direct an issue for the trial, before the same Court or any other Court of Her Majesty or any principal Court of original jurisdiction in civil cases of the East India Company, of any question of fact arising upon an application under Section XXIII, XXIV, or XXV of this Act, and such issue shall be tried accordingly in a summary manner, and, if the issue be directed to another Court, the finding shall be certified by the Court before which the same was tried, to the Court directing the issue. If the issue be directed to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature, the Court by which the issue is tried may, before the finding is certified, direct a new trial of such issue according to the usual course and practice of such Court. If the issue be directed to a Court of the East India Company, the finding shall not be subject to appeal to any other Court of the said Company, but the evidence taken upon the trial shall be recorded, and a copy thereof, certified by the Judge, shall be transmitted, together with any remarks he may think fit to make thereon, to the Court by which the issue was directed; and such Court may either act upon the decision of the Court which tried the issue, or direct a new trial if it shall appear necessary.

New trial.

Judgment.

XXVIII. If it shall appear to any of the said Courts of Judicature at the hearing of any application under the provisions of Section XXIII or XXIV

of this Act that, by reason of any of the objections therein mentioned, the said exclusive privilege in the invention or in any part thereof has not been acquired, the Court shall give judgment accordingly, and shall make such order as to the costs of and consequent upon the application as it may think just; and thereupon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, and assigns, shall, so long as the judgment continues in force, cease to be entitled to such exclusive privilege.

Costs.

XXIX. If the Court, at the hearing of any such application as last aforesaid, shall think that the petitioner has, in the description of his invention in the petition or specification, included something which at the date of the petition was not new or whereof he was not the inventor, or that the specification is in any particular defective or insufficient, but that the error, defect, or insufficiency was not fraudulently intended, the Court may adjudge the said exclusive privilege to have been acquired and to be valid, save as to the part thereof affected by such error, defect, or insufficiency, or, if the Court shall think that the error, defect, or insufficiency can be amended without injury to the public, they may adjudge the exclusive privilege in the whole of the invention to be valid, and may, upon such terms as shall appear reasonable, order the specification to be amended in any of the said particulars; and thereupon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall, within the time limited by the said Court for the purpose, file a specification amended according to such order.

Amendment of specification.

XXX. An exclusive privilege shall not be defeated upon the ground that there is any misdescription of the invention in the petition, unless such misdescription was fraudulent.

Misdescription in the petition, if not fraudulent, not to defeat the privilege.

XXXI. Whenever it shall be adjudged by any of the said Courts of Judicature that an exclusive privilege as to the whole or any part of an invention has not been acquired, the said Secretary to the Government of India shall, upon the production of the judgment or order, cause an entry thereof to be made in the said book, hereinbefore directed to be kept, and shall cause a reference to such entry to be made in the margin of the entry of the specification contained in such book.

Entry in registry book of judgment, &c. declaring privilege invalid.

XXXII. If, upon proceedings instituted within two years from the date of a petition to file a specification, the actual inventor shall prove to the satisfaction of any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature or of the principal Court of the East India Company having jurisdiction in Civil cases within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the Defendant shall reside as a fixed inhabitant, that the petitioner was not the actual inventor and that, at the time of the petition, he knew or had good reason to believe that the knowledge of the invention was obtained by himself or by some other person surreptitiously or in fraud of the actual inventor, or by means of a communication made in confidence by the actual inventor to him or to any person through whom he derived such knowledge, the Court may compel the petitioner to assign to the actual inventor any exclusive privilege obtained under this Act and to account for and pay over the profits thereof.

In what case actual inventor entitled to assignment of an exclusive privilege fraudulently obtained.

XXXIII. In any action for the infringement of such exclusive privilege the Plaintiff shall deliver with his plaint particulars of the breaches complained of in the said action, and the Defendant, in pleading thereto, shall deliver with his pleas particulars of the grounds (if any) upon which he means to contend that the Plaintiff is not entitled to an exclusive privilege in the invention. In like manner, upon any application to any of the said Courts of Judicature under Section XXIII, XXIV, or XXV of this Act, the applicant shall deliver particulars of the objections on which he means to rely. At the trial of any such action or issue no evidence shall be allowed to be given in support of any alleged infringement or of any objection impeaching the validity of such exclusive privilege which shall not be contained in the particulars delivered as aforesaid. If it be alleged that the invention was publicly known or used prior to the date of the petition for leave to file such specification, the places where and the manner in which the invention was so publicly known or used shall be stated in such particulars. Provided, always, that it shall be lawful for any Court in which the action or proceeding is pending, or in which the issue is tried, to allow the Plaintiff or Defendant respectively to amend the particulars delivered as aforesaid upon such terms as shall seem fit.

Particulars to be delivered.

XXXIV. A book shall be kept in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department (such book to be open to inspection without fee) wherein every person filing a specification under this Act shall cause to be stated, under a number corresponding with the number of the specification, some place in India where service of any rule or proceedings for the purpose of cancelling or revoking his exclusive privilege may be made. All persons, partnerships, or Companies from time to time being proprietors of, or having shares or interests in, such exclusive privilege, shall cause to be entered in such book, under such number as aforesaid, their names, together with the name of some place for the service of such proceedings as aforesaid. All such rules and proceedings as aforesaid shall be deemed sufficiently served on any such person, partnership, or Company if a copy thereof be left at the place entered in such book, or (if any other place be substituted for the same by entry in the said book) at the place last substituted, by delivering the same to any person resident at, or in charge of, such place; or, if there be no person resident at, or in charge of, such place, or if such place be not within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, by causing such rule or proceeding to be sent by Post by a registered letter directed to such person, partnership, or Company at such place; and if any such person, partnership, or Company shall neglect to make or cause to be made such entry, then service of such rule or proceeding, may be effected by affixing a copy thereof to some conspicuous part of the Court House or in such other manner as the Court may direct.

Service of proceedings.

XXXV. Nothing herein contained shall abridge or affect the Prerogative of the Crown in relation to the granting or withholding the grant of any Letters Patent

Nothing in this Act to affect Prerogative of Crown.

for inventions or otherwise, or affect or interfere with any Letters Patent for an invention heretofore granted or hereafter to be granted by the Crown.

Stamp on petition.

XXXVI. Every petition for leave to file a specification under the provisions of this Act, or for the extension of the term of an exclusive privilege, shall be written or printed on stamped paper of the value of one hundred rupees.

Interpretation.

XXXVII. In the construction of this Act, the following words and expressions shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them, unless there be something in the subject or context repugnant to such construction.

Words importing the singular number shall include the plural number, and words importing the plural number shall include the singular number.

Words importing the masculine gender shall include females.

The word "invention" shall include an improvement.

The word "manufacture" shall be deemed to include any art, process, or manner of producing, preparing, or making an article, and also any article prepared or produced by manufacture.

The word "inventor" when not used in conjunction with the word "actual," shall include the importer of an invention not publicly known or used in India.

The words "inventor" and "actual inventor" shall include the executors, administrators, or assigns of an inventor or actual inventor as the case may be.

The word "assigns" shall include grantees of the sole use or benefit in India of an invention, or of the sole use of an exclusive privilege for a limited time.

The word "India" shall mean the territories for the time being in the possession and under the Government of the East India Company.

The words "Governor General in Council" shall include the "President in Council."

The words "Secretary to the Government of India" shall include any Under-Secretary to the said Government.

FORM OF PETITION.

TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

The petition of *(here insert name, addition, and place of residence)* for leave to file a specification under Act No. VI of 1856.

SHEWETH,

That your petitioner is in possession of an invention for *(state the title of the invention)*, which invention he believes will be of public utility; that he is the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or the executor or administrator of the inventor)*; and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to the best of his knowledge and belief *(or, as the case may be, that he is the first importer into India of the said invention, and that the same is not publicly known or used in India.)*

(If Letters Patent have been obtained for the invention, state according to the requirements of Section XIX.)

The following is a description of the invention *(here describe it.)*

Your petitioner therefore prays for leave to file a specification of the said invention pursuant to the provisions of Act No. VI of 1856.

And your petitioner, &c.

(Signed)

The day of

FORMS OF DECLARATION.

A.

I *(here insert name, addition, and place of residence)* do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am in possession of an invention for *(state the title of the invention as in the petition)*; that I believe the said invention will be of public utility; that I am the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or executor or administrator of the inventor)* *(or that I am the first importer of the said invention into India)* and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to the best of my knowledge and belief; and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, my said invention is truly described in my petition for leave to file a specification thereof.

The day of

(Signed)

B.

I *(here insert name addition and place of residence)* do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am in possession of an invention for *(state the nature of the invention,)* which invention I believe will be of public utility; that I am the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or executor or adminstrator of the inventor)* *(or that I am the first importer of the said invention into India)* and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to the best of my knowledge and belief; and that, to the best of my belief, the instrument in writing under my hand hereunto annexed particularly describes and ascertains the nature of the said invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

The day of

(Signed)

C.

I of

do solemnly and sincerely declare that I have been appointed by the said his agent for the purpose of ,and I verily believe that the declaration purporting to be the declaration of the said marked ( ) was signed by him, and that the contents thereof are true.

The day of

(Signed) ———

W. MORGAN,

Clerk of the Council.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 298.

Fort William, Home Department,
The 27th February 1856.

Notifications.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to re-attach to the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William Mr. Arthur Pigou, of the Civil Service, who reported his return from furlough on the 24th instant.

The furlough available by Mr. Pigou's return is assigned to Mr. C. W. Mackillop, for three years, from the date of his embarkation for Europe.

No. 299

The 28th February 1856.

The Reverend H. S. Polehampton, appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors an Assistant Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, reported his arrival at the Presidency on the 24th instant, by the Steamer *Hindostan*.

The Reverend Mr. Polehampton's services are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 300.

The following Extract paras. 2 and 3, of a Despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, in the Public Department, No. 126, dated the 12th December 1855, is published for general information :—

Governor General's Letter, dated 31st July, (No. 8, 1855.)

Requesting Court's instruction regarding appeals from individuals against the decision of the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces, and pointing out various instances in which circumstances appear to have materially changed since the Order was issued prescribing that an appeal from the decision of the Subordinate Government lies only to the Court of Directors.

2. "The position of the Lieutenant-Governors administering the affairs of Bengal and of the North-Western Provinces undoubtedly differs, in several respects, from that of the Governors in Council of Madras and Bombay, and in conformity with the intention of the Legislature, and with our orders founded thereon, that you should exercise a positive control over the whole Territory comprised within the Presidency of Bengal, we authorize you to receive and adjudicate on any cases which individuals may bring before you in appeal from the acts of the Lieutenant-Governors.

3. "It will of course be understood that the right of appeal to us may be exercised, as regards these cases, equally with those which are decided by your Government in the first instance."

The operation of this order is prospective only, and does not extend to decisions passed by either of the Lieutenant-Governors prior to the date of this Notification.

No. 301.

Dr. W. B. O' Shaughnessy, Superintendent of Electric Telegraphs in India, is permitted to proceed to Europe on duty, and to be absent from India on that account for one year.

The following appointments will take effect from the date of Dr. O'Shaughnessy's departure :—

Lieutenant A. Chauncy, Deputy Superintendent of the First Class, to officiate as Superintendent of Electric Telegraphs in India.

Mr. R. Brunton to be Deputy Superintendent of the First Class at Bombay.

Mr. Brooking to officiate as Deputy Superintendent of the Third Class at Madras.

Mr. J. Muller to officiate as Deputy Superintendent of the First Class at Agra.

Mr. O'Donnell to officiate as Deputy Superintendent of the Third Class at Calcutta.

No. 302.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. W. Luke to resign the East India Company's Service, from the 1st May 1856.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor General in Council.

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1202.

Fort William, Foreign Department,
The 28th February 1856.

Azim Beg is appointed to officiate as an Extra Assistant in the Punjab.

No. 1203.

Major C. Davidson, Resident at Baroda, assumed charge of the Residency from the Officiating Assistant, Lieutenant L. C. Barton, on the 15th instant.

No. 1204.

Captain R. C. Stewart, of H. M's. 84th Regiment, and Second Class Assistant in the Topographical Survey of Pegu, is promoted to be a First Class Assistant, from the 21st December last, the date on which Lieutenant Oakes resigned.

No. 1205.

Major A. Fytche, Deputy Commissioner of Bassein, made over charge of the current duties of his Office to Mr. T. J. Fallon, Extra Assistant Commissioner, on the 26th ultimo, and not on the 9th idem, as stated in G. O. dated 15th instant, No. 925.

No. 1206.

Assistant Surgeon J. L. Paul, in Civil Medical charge of Moulmein, and Lieutenant R. C. Burn, Assistant Commissioner at Martaban, have respectively obtained a month's leave of absence, the former from the date of departure for Madras of the Steamer *Zenobia*, making over charge of his duties to Dr. W. A. Jacob, 30th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, and the latter from the date of the departure of the Steamer *Berenice*, delivering over the duties of his district to Mr. D. G. Nicolson, Assistant Commissioner.

Dr. W. A. Jacob received Medical charge of the Jail and Civil Department from Dr. J. L. Paul, on the 2nd instant.

G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 38.

Fort William, Public Works Department,

PUBLIC.

The 25th February 1856.

Appointment.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Assistant Overseer R. Patterson to be an Assistant Executive Officer on the 3rd Division, Arracan Road.

No. 39.

The 18th February 1856.

Notifications.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant to Lieutenant G. T. Chesney, Officiating District Engineer of Peshawur, two months' leave of absence, on urgent private affairs, to have retrospective effect from the 24th January 1855.

No. 40.

Lieutenant W. T. McGrigor, Her Majesty's 70th Regiment of Foot, employed on Survey duty in the North-Western Provinces, having resigned his appointment in the Department Public Works, his services are, at his own request, placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

No. 41.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Messrs. F. Lodge and G. H. Mayer to be permanent Assistant Overseers of Suburban Roads, from the dates on which their period of probation expired, *viz.*, the 16th and 20th November last, respectively.

No. 42.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following promotion :—

Serjeant T. W. Watt, 1st European Bengal Fusiliers, Sub-Assistant Overseer, Rangoon Division, to be Assistant Overseer.

No. 43.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Lieutenant T. C. Bird, of the 36th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to be Executive Officer in Nagpore, in succession to Lieutenant W. H. G. Palmer, 40th Madras Native Infantry, proceeded to England, on Sick certificate.

No. 44.

The appointment of Lieutenant C. H. E. Groeme, of the 5th Regiment Bengal Native Infantry, to the Department of Public Works, notified on the 5th January last, is to have effect from the 27th November 1855, the date on which he joined the Department as an Officiating Executive Officer, and assumed charge of the Setabuldee or Nagpore Division.

No. 45

The services of Lieutenant J. Peyton, of Her Majesty's 87th Fusiliers, Assistant District Officer at Peshawur, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department, for employment as an Assistant to the Timber Agent at Pangah.

W. E. BAKER, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 583.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 13th February 1856.—The Collector of Bhaugulpore is vested with the powers described in Clause 2, Section III., Regulation I. of 1824, and in the 2nd and subsequent Sections of Act XLII. of 1850, for the purpose of obtaining land for the Railway.

The 18th February 1856.—Surgeon J. McRae to be Principal of the Calcutta Medical College, also Professor of Medicine in that Institution, and *Ex-officio* First Physician of the College Hospital.

The 21st February 1856.—Mr. C. P. White, Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, in Sylhet, is transferred to Midnapore.

Baboo Shama Churn Chatterjee to be a Deputy Magistrate under Act XV. of 1843, and to exercise the powers of a Covenanted Assistant under Regulation XIII. of 1797 and IX. of 1807, in the District of Sylhet, and to be also a Deputy Collector, under Regulation IX. of 1833 in that District.

The 26th February 1856.—Mr. H. C. Richardson to officiate as Magistrate of Tirhoot.

The 27th February 1856.—Mr. E. S. Pearson to officiate as Civil and Sessions Judge of Backergunge.

Mr. C. W. Mackillop to officiate as Collector of Backergunge.

Mr. C. Jenkins to officiate as Magistrate of Dacca.

Mr. T. C. Trotter to officiate as Additional Judge of Behar and Patna.

The 28th February 1856.—Mr. A. Pigou to officiate as Collector of Moorshedabad.

Leave of Absence.—The 26th February 1856.—Mr. O. Toogood, Officiating Collector of Moorshedabad, from the 3rd proximo, to the date of the sailing of the ship in which he may embark for Europe.

Mr. C. E. Lance, Officiating Magistrate of Mymensing, from the 2nd to the 31st ultimo, under Clause 4, Section VI. of the new revised Absentee Rules.

The 28th February 1856.—Mr. J. E. S. Lillie, Officiating Judge of Burdwan, from the 8th to the 11th instant inclusive, under Clause 4, Section VI. of the new revised Absentee Rules.

Mr. J. M. Miller, Officiating Medical Officer of Serampore, for twelve months, on Medical certificate, under Clause 2, Section V. of the new Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, making over charge of his Medical duties to the Native Doctor, Jadoo.

Notification.—The 27th February 1856.—The Reverend H. Smith, Chaplain of Dum-Dum, reported his departure from India on the 20th instant, on the Ship *Prince of Wales.*

W. GREY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 571.

Comparative Register of Revenues and Charges of the Bengal Government for the Years from 1852-53 to 1854-55.

RECEIPTS.	1852-53.	1853-54.	1854-55.
Mint, ...	892303	615687	412361
Miscellaneous, General, ...	247377	246432	615717
Post Office, ...	506561	493908	571463
Stamps, ...	2132812	2188054	2266698
Judicial, ...	1153709	1174665	1178252
Land Revenue, ...	37569335	37830820	37578863
Abkarree, ...	3296470	3222903	3486002
Sayer, ...	430948	482935	917151
Miscellaneous, ...	65747	35953	33356
Customs, ...	9611152	7940303	9076506
Salt, ...	12015658	13829746	14725686
Opium, ...	40729239	38036094	35970493
Marine, ...	812950	903452	1119593
Eastern Settlements, ...	0	0	0
Interest, ...	78817	74044	130061
Total, ...	109542178	107074996	108082202

DISBURSEMENTS.	1852-53.	1853-54.	1854-55.
Mint, ...	354628	322256	253529
Post Office, ...	532510	551107	595028
Stamps, ...	126721	105670	114743
Territorial and Political Stipends — Nizt. Stipends, Pensions and Charitable Allowances, ...	1453033	1257636	1227609
	745954	618178	790648
Sayer Compensation, ...	65226	71239	69683
General, ...	3543579	3578779	3650285
Judicial, ...	7671005	7799876	7771240
Revenue, ...	3612816	3676854	3474638
Abkarree, ...	687783	626765	628713
Customs, ...	789942	699997	625450
Salt, ...	2353701	2809076	3372310
Opium, ...	14325217	13885497	13483961
Marine, ...	2166484	2211703	2400658
Eastern Settlements, ...	0	0	0
Civil Buildings, ...	1897338	2257707	4197945
Interest, ...	17611	38500	92189
Total, ...	40343537	40511840	42754329

W. GREY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.

No. 1331 of 1856.

Revenue Department,

Agra, the 23rd February 1856.

Appointments.—Khyrood Deen, now a Tehseeldar in Zillah Cawnpore, to be Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, and Deputy Magistrate under Act XV. of 1843, with powers of a Covenanted Assistant, as described in Section 20, Regulation IX. of 1807, in the District of Ghazeepore, and to be stationed at Bullia.

W. MUIR,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

No. 1326 of 1856.

Judicial Department,

Assistant Surgeon James King Walter to be Civil Assistant Surgeon of Benares, with retrospective effect from the 12th instant.

P. B. REID,
Asst. to Secy. to Govt. N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 27th February 1856.

No. 330 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

1st Oude Local Infantry (Oude Irregular Force.)

Lieutenant C. D. S. Clarke, Adjutant, to be Second in Command, *vice* Smith, transferred to another appointment.

Lieutenant R. Chalmers, of the 45th Native Infantry, Adjutant 2nd Punjaub Infantry, to be Adjutant, *vice* Clarke.

No. 331 *of* 1856.—The services of Captain and Brevet Lieutenant Colonel Henry Drummond, of the 3rd Regiment Light Cavalry, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.

No. 332 *of* 1856.—Overseer Serjeant William Allsop, of the Town Major's List, attached to the Stables of the Governor General, is promoted to rank of Sub-Conductor.

Fort William, 28th February 1856.

No. 333 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe, on leave of absence, on Sick certificate :—

Ensign Edward Richard Blunt, of the 45th Regiment Native Infantry. ... } For eighteen months, under the new Regulations.

No. 334 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe, on Furlough, on private affairs :—

Lieutenant William Edward Cahill, of the 40th Regiment Native Infantry, - - - - } For three years, under the old Regulations.

No. 335 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Brigadier L. S. Bird, now in Command of the Field Force in the disturbed districts, and who was appointed a temporary Brigadier in Government General Order No. 55, of the 9th January 1856, is permanently brought on the Brigade Staff to complete the Establishment, in succession to Brigadier (Major General) H. F. Salter, C. B., proceeded on leave to the Cape.

Colonel F. Brind, C. B., of the Regiment of Artillery, to be a temporary Brigadier of the Second Class, during the continuance in Divisional Staff Employ of Major General N. Penny, C. B., or until further orders.

No. 336 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointments in the Oude Irregular Force :—

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Cavalry.

Assistant Surgon J. W. R. Amesbury.
Assistant Surgeon S. B. Partridge.
Assistant Surgeon H. M. Greenhow.

Infantry.

Assistant Surgeon M. W. Mott.
Assistant Surgeon M. G. Hill.
Assistant Surgeon J. B. Collison.
Assistant Surgeon F. H. O'Donel, M. D.
Assistant Surgeon T. Anderson, M. D.
Assistant Surgeon R. H. Bartrum.
Assistant Surgeon G. B. Hadow.
Apothecary R. F. Thompson.

No. 337 *of* 1856.—The following Orders, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, are confirmed :—

No. 22, *dated* 13*th February* 1856.—Captain S. G. G. Orr, Commanding 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, has thirty days' privilege leave from date of quitting Aurungabad, to proceed to Bombay, for the purpose of appearing before a Medical Committee and obtaining leave to Europe, on Sick certificate.

On the departure of Captain Orr, subject to the confirmation of the Most Noble the Governor General in Council, Lieutenant Murray, Second in Command, will assume the Command of the 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, and Lieutenant Dun, Adjutant 2nd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, will act as Second in Command of the 3rd Cavalry, during the absence of Captain Orr, or until further orders.

No. 23, *dated* 13*th February* 1856.—Consequent on the departure of Lieutenant Grant, Second in Command, 2nd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, to Lucknow, under instructions received from the Most Noble the Governor General, Lieutenant J. B. Speid, 34th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Second in Command of the 2nd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, as a temporary arrangement.

No. 338 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council having had under consideration the expediency of requiring all Assistant Surgeons appointed to the Service, to undergo on their first arrival in the Country a short practical course of instructions in the treatment of Tropical diseases, and to obtain some insight into the mode of conducting the ordinary routine of official business, is pleased, on the recommendation of the Medical Board, to direct the following Regulations to be hereafter observed :—

1. The Certificates of appointment of Assistant Surgeons arriving from Europe will continue to be delivered to the Town Major, the Assistant Surgeons also reporting their arrival to the Adjutant General and to the Secretary to the Medical Board.

2. The Medical Board will direct Assistant Surgeons on their arrival to attend at the General Hospital, subject to confirmation in Division Orders.

3. All Assistant Surgeons shall, upon their arrival, undergo a probationary course of study, the first part of which shall be under the observation of the Surgeon to the Presidency General Hospital. This preliminary course shall extend over a period of three months, until the expiration of which period Assistant Surgeons shall not be available for other service, except upon emergency, or when they can be made available for probationary duty, either in Fort William or with the Artillery Division at Dum Dum, where their studies can be carried on under the immediate superintendence of the Garrison or Regimental Surgeon (in the Fort) or the Officer in Medical charge of the Artillery Division (Dum Dum.)

4. At the end of the period above stated, all Assistant Surgeons will be eapected to have acquired a knowledge of the mode of treating disease as it occurs in India, and to have passed an examination in Hindostanee, as directed in General Order, without which latter qualification they are not entitled to the Staff Salary or Head Money for the charge of Native Troops.

General Order by Governor General, No. 60, of 1st March 1844.

5. Assistant Surgeons after having finished the first part of their probationary course, will, on being reported qualified, be recommended by the Medical Board for duty with European or Native Regiments to which Surgeons are attached, for the Medical charge of small detachments of Troops moving, or for such other minor charges as the exigencies of the Service may render necessary.

6. During the first part of their preliminary course, the duties of Assistant Surgeons shall be as follows :—

7. During the first month they shall keep records, in their own hand-writing, of cases as treated in Hospital by the Medical Officers under whose immediate supervision they are placed.

8. During the second month they shall suggest such treatment as they shall consider necessary, and then observe the line of practice followed by the Medical Officer ; and in the third month certain Medical cases not of the gravest description shall be reported and treated by them under the close supervision of the Medical Officer. At the end of this period, their Journals bearing the remarks of the Surgeon to the General Hospital, &c., shall be forwarded through the Officiating Superintending Surgeon, Presidency, to the Medical Board.

The Hospital attendance required from Assistant Surgeons at the Presidency shall be as follows :—

9. Daily attendance in the morning at the General Hospital for the record, &c., of cases, and for clinical instruction at the bed-side of patients in the peculiarities of Indian disease, attendance at least once a week in the afternoon at the European and Native Insane Asylums adjoining the General Hospital.

A weekly visit to the Eye Infirmary on operating days.

A weekly visit to the Native Hospital on operating days.

10. At the end of this preliminary course, Assistant Surgeons will be expected to satisfy the Officiating Superintending Surgeon, Presidency, that they have acquired a competent knowledge of the leading Rules laid down in the Medical Code, especially with regard to the duties of Military Medical Staff, and with reference to Medical Certificates, Invaliding Committees, Punishments

the preservation of the health of Troops in Barracks, and in Camp, Hill Sanataria, &c.

11. During the second portion of their probationary course, which shall extend over a period of three months, Assistant Surgeons shall forward monthly to their Superintending Surgeons, through their immediate Superiors, full Reports of a given number of cases treated by themselves. These Reports shall, whenever it may be practicable, bear the remarks of the Medical Officers under whom the Assistant Surgeons are placed. Upon these Reports, when satisfactory, and upon a general consideration of the conduct and professional acquirements of the Assistant Surgeons, the Superintending Surgeons shall inform the Medical Board that the Assistant Surgeons are now qualified to be entrusted with independent charges. The second probationary course shall be dispensed with in those cases of high proficiency, in which the Medical Board shall be satisfied that the knowledge acquired by the Assistant Surgeons at the General Hospital is such as to qualify them for separate charges.

12. All Assistant Surgeons whom the exigencies of the Service may have prevented from undergoing the preliminary course at the Presidency, will be expected to do so within the first year of their service with such of the Company's European Regiments, Garrisons or other fixed Hospitals, as may in each case be recommended by the Medical Board.

No. 339 *of* 1856.—The following Extract from the *London Gazette* of the 8th January 1856, is published for general information :—

BREVET.

To be Lieutenant Colonel in the Army.

Brevet Major Herbert Edwardes, C. B., Bengal Army, dated 8th January 1856.

To be Majors in the Army.

Captain Anthony Blake Rathborne, 24th Bombay Native Infantry, dated 25th December 1845.

Captain James Travers, 2nd Bengal Native Infantry, dated 8th January 1846.

Captain Henry Joseph Pelly, 8th Bombay Native Infantry, dated 27th August 1846.

Captain Edward Lechmere Russell, 12th Bombay Native Infantry, dated 23rd December 1849.

Captain Robert Romer Younghusband, 20th Bombay Native Infantry, dated 4th April 1850.

Captain Henry Frederick Dunsford, 59th Bengal Native Infantry, dated 11th June 1850.

Captain James Macleod Bannatyne Fraser Tytler, 37th Bengal Native Infantry, dated 18th March 1851.

Captain John Mill, Bengal Artillery, dated 17th May 1852.

Captain Charles Reid, 10th Bengal Native Infantry, dated 2nd October 1852.

Captain Arthur Wellington Chicheley Plowden, 3rd Bengal Light Cavalry, dated 22nd October 1852.

Captain Richard Strachey, Bengal Engineers, dated 16th February 1854.

Captain Richard Baird Smith, Bengal Engineers, dated 16th February 1854.

Captain Charles Frederick North, Bombay Engineers, dated 16th February 1854.

Captain Philip Arthur Pleydell Bouverie, 35th Bengal Native Infantry, dated 11th July 1854.

Captain John Reid Becher, Bengal Engineers, dated 2nd August 1854.

Captain John Hill, Bombay Engineers, dated 2nd August 1854.

Captain Archibald John Maddy Boileau, Madras Engineers, dated 2nd August 1854.

The Commissions as Brevet Major of the under-mentioned Officers to be antedated as under :—

Brevet Major Francis Charles Wells, 15th Bombay Native Infantry, to 4th July 1844.

Brevet Major Edward Griffith Austin, Bengal Artillery, to 14th May 1846.

Brevet Major Murray Mackenzie, Bengal Artillery, to 30th December 1846.

Brevet Major William Kerby Warner, Bengal Artillery, to 1st April 1847.

Brevet Major Thomas Quin, 4th Bengal Light Cavalry, to 21st April 1848.

Brevet Major Saunders Alexius Abbott, 51st Bengal Native Infantry, to 3rd August 1850.

No. 340 *of* 1856.—The following Notification issued from the Financial Department, is published in General Orders :—

No. 9, *dated* 22*nd February* 1856.—Read a Despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, No. 107 of 1855, dated the 5th December.

Resolution.—The Hon'ble the Court of Directors having approved, with certain modifications, of a Code of Rules recommended by this Government for regulating leave of absence and acting allowances to Public Officers in India not in the Covenanted Service of the East India Company, the Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to resolve, that the following Rules, together with the Despatch above adverted to, be published in the *Official Gazette* for general information, and be held applicable, from the date of the publication of the Notification, to all Officers in the Uncovenanted Service of the Government, who may be in the receipt of salaries of Rupees 100 a month and upwards.

Financial Department.

No. 107 of 1855.

OUR GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Letter from, dated 28th July 1855, No. 101.

Forward the report of a Special Committee (consisting of the Military Auditor General, the Secretary to the Government of Bengal and the Accountant to the Government of Bengal) which was appointed by the Government to consider the subject of framing a Code of Rules for the regulation of leave of absence and acting allowances for the Uncovenanted Service, and express an earnest hope that the proposed Code may receive the Court's sanction.

1. We have carefully considered the papers accompanying your letter noted in the margin, relative to the proposed enactment of Rules for the regulation of leave of absence, &c., to the large and increasing classes of Public Officers not in the Covenanted Service of the East India Company, but, nevertheless, in many cases performing duties of great importance and responsibility. It is scarcely necessary to observe that we desire to treat them in this, as in all other respects, with the utmost liberality and consideration that may be consistent with the interests of the Public Service.

2. Adopting as a principle to be inviolably maintained, that in each separate case of absence

of an Uncovenanted Officer, the expense occasioned thereby is to be defrayed out of the Absentee's Salary, we are prepared to concur in the grant to Uncovenanted Servants (receiving Rupees 100 per month and upwards) of the advantages as respects sick leave and leave on private affairs proposed in the Code under consideration. The advantages may be concisely stated as follows :—

1*st*.—*Sick Leave*.—The grant of leave for three years altogether, during the entire period of service, of which two years only may be continuous or reckon as service for Pension. During one year of absence, the Absentee to be subjected to the deduction of half, and during the remaining period, of two-thirds, of his allowances, provided that he shall in no case draw a larger sum than Rupees 6,000 (£600) per annum.

The maximum being thus fixed, we shall leave it to the Local Government, in the exercise of their discretion to determine in each case, how far the advantages of the Rules should be modified with reference to the length of service of the Applicant and other circumstances. We desire however that, after a continuous absence of two years on Sick certificate, an interval of two years shall elapse before further leave on that account is granted.

2*nd*.—*Leave on Private Affairs*.—The grant of leave for one month in each year without deduction ; for six months, on sufficient cause being shown, with deduction of half allowances, provided the rate of Rupees 6,000 (£600) per annum be not exceeded ; and under special circumstances, for twelve months, without forfeiture of appointment, but without pay and without the leave counting as service for Pension.

This latter advantage may we think be fairly conceded in special cases to Uncovenanted Servants, since a regular Furlough on Private Affairs cannot be granted to them, and the loss of their appointments involves practically the loss to them of the service. But it should not be allowed more than once during the period of service.

3*rd*.—We accede to your suggestion, that Heads of Offices, in cases of urgency, may be authorized to grant leave of absence on Medical certificate to the extent of one month, provided the same be immediately reported for the sanction of Government

4*th*.—The Rules proposed regarding the allowances of persons appointed to act for Absentees appear unobjectionable.

We are,
Your affectionate friends,
(Signed) E. MACNAGHTEN,
" W. H. SYKES,
And Eight other Directors.

LONDON,
The 5th December 1855.

Rules for regulating Leave of Absence and Acting Allowances to Public Officers in India not in the Covenanted Service of the East India Company.

CHAPTER I.

Rules for Application of Leave of Absence.

Section I. Leave of absence to Officers not in the Covenanted Service of the East India Company, receiving their appointments direct from Government, will be granted by the Government only under which office is held, on application made publicly through the regular channel in the Department to which the Applicant may belong ; but in respect of all other Officers, it will be optional with the Local Governments to delegate to Heads of Offices or Departments power to act upon the Rules without special reference to higher authority.

Section II. Absence without leave will render the Absentee liable to loss of appointment, and will be attended with entire forfeiture of salary for the whole period of such absence.

Section III. No leave of absence shall have any retrospective effect, except in cases of severe illness to be attested by Medical certificate, conforming in every respect to the directions contained in Section IV.

CHAPTER II.

Rules for Sick Leave.

Section IV. When an application for leave of absence is made on the ground of ill-health, it must be accompanied by a Statement of the case from the Medical man by whom the Applicant has been attended, distinctly stating, from personal observation, the nature of the disease, the symptoms by which it is manifested, the causes by which it has been probably produced, and the period during which it has existed so far as the knowledge of the Medical Officer extends; and by a Certificate from the Chief Medical Officer of the Station or District ; or if at a Presidency Town, from a Presidency or other Official Surgeon certifying, after careful personal investigation, the necessity for temporary removal, and the period for which absence is, to the best of his judgment, absolutely requisite for restoration to health. If the requisite leave be for a longer period than six months, the Certificate must in the first instance be countersigned by the Superintending Surgeon of the Division in which the Applicant may be located ; and in cases of leave beyond Sea, be afterwards submitted, with the Statement of the case, for the consideration and countersignature of the Members of the Medical Board.

The Certificate shall be given in the following form :—

I., A. B., Surgeon at or of——,do hereby certify that E. F. (here enter designation of office) is in a bad state of health, and I solemnly and sincerely declare that, according to the best of my judgment, a change of air is essentially necessary to his recovery ; and that the circumstances of his case are such as to render leave of absence for the period of —— absolutely necessary (or highly desirable.)

The following form shall be observed by the Superintending Surgeon and Members of the Medical Board in countersigning the Certificate :—

I (or we) do hereby certify that according to the best of my (or our) professional judgment, after careful consideration of his case, I (or we) believe the state of health of E. F. to be such as to render leave of absence for a period of —— absolutely necessary (or highly desirable) for his recovery.

An application for extension of leave must, if the Applicant be in India, be accompanied by a Certificate to a like effect from the Medical Officer by whom the Applicant is attended, together with a Statement showing sufficient reason for the extension solicited ; and such Certificate must be countersigned by the Members of the Medical Board, or by the Superintending Surgeon of the Division in which the Applicant may be located. In like manner, if the Applicant shall have proceeded beyond the Territories under the Government of the East India Company, he must furnish

a Certificate and Statement to the required effect from a Surgeon or Physician, at the place of his temporary residence, by whom he has been attended; such attendance and the period of it to be stated, and the Certificate to be countersigned by the Examining Physician of the East India Company if the Absentee is in Europe; or by the principal Medical Authority of the Colony or Country to which the Absentee may have proceeded; or some sufficient reason stated for the want of such countersignature if not produced.

The Officer countersigning must either personally examine the Applicant, or state some sufficient reason why he has been unable to do so: when any of the required particulars are neglected, leave will be refused.

Section V. Leave of absence will be granted under the following limitations to Servants who may be declared by a sufficient Medical certificate to require leave for the restoration of their health:—

1. The limit to leave on Medical certificate is fixed at three years during the entire period of service, of which not more than two years may be continuous and two years only will be permitted to reckon as service qualifying for Pension.

2. Leave of absence on Medical certificate will not be granted for a longer period than twelve months at any one time, which may however be extended if necessary under renewed Medical certificate, for periods not exceeding six months within the limit of two years continuously. After a continuous absence of two years on Medical certificate, an interval of two years shall elapse before further leave on that account is granted.

3. During one year of the entire period of absence under this Rule, the Absentee will be subjected to a deduction of one-half, and during the remainder to a deduction of two-thirds of his allowances, provided however that he shall in no case draw a larger sum than Rupees 6,000 (£600) per annum.

4. In cases of extreme urgency, the Heads of Offices are authorized to grant leave of absence on Medical certificate to the extent of one month, provided the same be immediately reported for the sanction of Government.

Chapter III.

Rules for Leave on Private Affairs.

Section VI. Leave of absence may be granted for one month in each year, or, to Judicial Officers, during the authorized closing of the Civil Courts, without deduction from salary.

Section VII. In addition to the above, and on sufficient cause being shown, leave of absence may be granted on private affairs for not more than six months, one-half the Absentee's salary being deducted for such period of absence, provided the rate of Rupees 6,000 (£600) per annum be not exceeded.

Clause 2. The leave granted under this Section will be computed from the date of the Absentee's quitting his post to the date of his return thereto. A second leave of the same description cannot be taken till the expiration of six years from the date of return to duty from a former leave. No portion of the salary allowed to be drawn will be claimable till the Absentee shall have returned to his duty.

Clause 3. Leave taken under this and the preceding Section will reckon as service qualifying or Pension.

Section VIII. In addition to the leave which may be granted under the preceding Rules on Medical certificate or private affairs, Government may at any time, under special circumstances and at its discretion, grant leave of absence once during the period of service not exceeding twelve months on private affairs, without forfeiture of appointment, but without pay: such period of absence not to count as service towards Pension.

Section. IX. No leave of absence on private affairs shall be claimable by any party whatever under these Rules as a matter of right; such leave will be granted only at the pleasure of the Government or its authorized Officers when the concession of the indulgence in no way interferes with the interests of the Public Service; and it shall be the duty of the Government in every instance (except in the case of leave granted under Section VI.) to consider and determine whether the grounds of the application are sufficiently urgent to justify the concession of the leave.

Section X. Parties who may desire to draw their allowances while absent on leave will be required to give security in such amount and form as may be fixed by Government for the refund of any excess that may be drawn in case of their coming under retrenchment.

Chapter IV.

Rules for Allowances, &c.

Section XI. No person appointed to a situation under the Government shall draw the salary of his appointment for any period prior to the date of his joining it.

Section XII. An Officer holding a situation, appointed to one of equal or higher value, will, until he joins, draw so much of the salary of his new Office as may be equal to the salary of his former situation; provided he does not exceed the time allowed for joining under the following Rules; should he do so, no salary will be passed to him for such period in excess.

Section XIII. The time ordinarily allowed for joining an appointment is to be calculated at the rate of fifteen miles a day (Sundays excepted,) together with a week to prepare for the journey; but on occasions of emergency, it will be optional with the Government to prescribe the period within which any journey is to be performed.

Section XIV. A person officiating temporarily in any situation will draw so much of the salary of such situation as may equal the sum deducted on account of absence from the real incumbent, and the substantive allowances of every Officer temporarily acting in a situation of superior emolument will be subject to deduction at the same rate; *but no additional expense is on any account to be incurred by the absence of any Officer on leave.*

By Order of the Most Noble the Governor General in Council.

C. Hugh Lushington,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 341 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Foreign Department, are published in General Orders:—

No. 1111, *dated* 22*nd February* 1856.—Lieutenant F. Conybeare, Commandant of the Artillery, United Malwa Contingent, has obtained

leave of absence for three months, from the 17th April next, under the Rules applicable to Military Officers on Staff Employ, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe.

No. 1113, *dated* 26*th February* 1856.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Lieutenant A. H. Heath, of the Artillery, to be Timber Agent, and Lieutenant J. Peyton, of Her Majesty's 87th Foot, to be Assistant Timber Agent, at Pangah.

No. 342 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, issued from the Public Works Department, is published in General Orders :—

No. 36, *dated* 25*th February* 1856.—The leave of absence to visit the Presidency, preparatory to applying for leave to Europe on Medical certificate, granted to Colonel R. Napier, Chief Engineer, Punjaub, in Notification No. 27, of the 11th instant, is to be considered as under the new Regulations.

No. 343 *of* 1856.—The following Notification issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, is published in General Orders :—

Appointment.—23*rd February* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon G. K. Poole to be Civil Assistant Surgeon of Rungpore.

No. 344 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, are published in General Orders :—

No. 1150, *dated* 18*th February* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon J. P. Walker, M. D., is re-appointed Superintendent of the Agra Central Prison, from the date of re-joining.

No. 1216, *dated* 19*th February* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon S. C. Amesbury is appointed to the Medical charge of the Civil Station of Hissar.

No. 1229, *dated* 20*th February* 1856.—Captain H. Ramsay to be Commissioner of Kumaon.

No. 345 *of* 1856.—With reference to Government General Order No. 297, of the 22nd instant, the Infantry Regiments of the Oude Irregular Force will be formed into ten, instead of eight Companies each, and the Establishment of each Regiment will consist of

10 Subadars.
10 Jemadars.
50 Havildars.
50 Naicks.
20 Drummers.
800 Sepoys.

No. 346 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers have returned to their duty on this Establishment, without prejudice to their rank, by permission of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors :—

	Date of Arrival at Fort William.
First Lieutenant Frederic Freeman Remmington, Artillery Regiment, ...	26th Feb. 1856.
Lieutenant John Henry Balmain, 9th Regiment Light Cavalry, ...	
Lieutenant James Thomas Norgate, 69th Regiment Native Infantry, ...	

No. 347 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Gentlemen are admitted to the Service, in conformity with their appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors as Cadets of Infantry on this Establishment, and promoted to the rank of Ensign, leaving the dates of their Commissions for future adjustment :—

Infantry.	*Date of Arrival at Fort William.*
Mr. Arthur Robert Chapman, ...	25th Feb. 1856.
Mr. Edward Christopher Codrington, ...	26th Feb. 1856.

No. 348 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer of the Infantry is promoted to the rank of Captain by Brevet, from the date expressed opposite to his name :—

3rd European Regiment.

Lieutenant Nathaniel Mack Strover, 27th February 1856.

No. 349 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

61st Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Francis George Stainforth to be Captain of a Company, ...	From the 29th of December 1855, in succession to Captain Edmund Nagle Terry Ross O'Conor, deceased.
Ensign Richard James Walker to be Lieutenant,	

No. 350 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Punjaub Irregular Force.

1st Infantry.

Lieutenant S. Black, of the 37th Regiment Native Infantry, Officiating in the Department Public Works, to act as Second in Command, during the leave of absence of Lieutenant Travers.

Hyderabad Contingent.

Artillery.

First Lieutenant H. Biden, of the Madras Artillery, Officiating Commandant 3rd Company, is confirmed in that appointment.

1st Infantry.

Lieutenant J. W. Stubbs, of the 46th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to be Adjutant.

2nd Infantry.

Lieutenant and Brevet Captain J. B. Speid, of the 34th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to be Second in Command.

4th Infantry.

Lieutenant C. S. Fagan, Second in Command, 1st Infantry, to continue acting as Commandant, *vice* Lieutenant J. W. Sinclair.

5th Infantry.

Lieutenant E. M. Hare, Adjutant, to be Second in Command, *vice* Hamilton.

6th Infantry.

Lieutenant J. W. Sinclair, of the 51st Madras Native Infantry, acting Commandant 4th Infantry, to be Second in Command, *vice* Frankland, transferred to the 2nd Punjaub Infantry.

R. J. H. Birch, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Ecclesiastical.

The Reverend Samuel Henry Beamish, B. A., Assistant Chaplain at Tonghoo in Burmah, and the Reverend Henry Murray, M. A., Assistant Chaplain at Agra, have been appointed Surrogates for granting Episcopal Licences of Marriage, in the Diocese of Calcutta.

By desire of the Bishop, dated at Calcutta this Fourth day of February 1856.

W. Hy. ABBOTT,
Registrar and Secretary,

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Wednesday the 5th and Thursday the 6th proximo, on account of the Hindoo Holidays, Seebo Rattree.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

GENERAL TREASURY,
The 22nd February 1856.

Opium Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Third Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1854-55, will be held at the Exchange Hall, on Monday, the 10th March 1856, at 11 A. M., and will comprise 3,460 Chests, *viz.* :—

Behar Opium, ...	2,440
Benares Ditto, ...	1,020
Total Chests,...	3,460

2nd. The general Conditions of the Sale now advertized will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 11th December 1855, and published in the *Calcutta* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for Deposit and Clearance will be the 15th and 25th March 1856, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, Company's Paper, or other Public Securities, that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale, will be received after 4 P. M. of Saturday, the 15th March 1856, and no Treasury Receipts, in full payment of Lots, will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Tuesday, the 25th March 1856.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertized for Sale, the following quantities,* more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium, will be brought to Sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below; the Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

	Chests.
* Behar Opium of 1854-55,	21,498
Benares do. of do.,	9,170
Behar do. of 1853-54, (re-manufactured,) ..	460
Chests, ...	31,128

	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 14th April 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Friday, 9th May 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 9th June 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Thursday, 10th July 1856, ...	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 11th August 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Wednesday, 10th September 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Friday, 10th October 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 10th November 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 8th December 1856, ..	2,438	1,010	3,448
Total, ..	21,958	9,170	31,128

By Order of the Board of Revenue,

E. T. TREVOR,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM
20th February 1856.

Notice.

THE Most Noble the Marquis of Dalhousie having appointed Wednesday, the 5th March, at 5 P. M., for receiving the Address of the Inhabitants of Calcutta, the Members of the Deputation are requested to meet at the Town Hall at half past four on that day.

Gentlemen desirous of accompanying the Deputation are invited to attend at the same hour.

(Signed) J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, the 6th February 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Sessions of *Oyer* and *Terminer* and Gaol Delivery, and also an Admiralty Sessions, will be holden by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Saturday, the First day of March next, at 12 o'clock at noon.

The Court will open on the first day of the Sessions at 12 o'clock at noon, and upon each succeeding day precisely at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, of which all persons are required to take notice.

J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস ৬ ফিবরুয়ারি ১৮৫৬ সাল।

সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে আগামী ১ মার্চ ১৮৫৬ সাল শনিবার দুই প্রহরের সময় কলিকাতার ফোর্ট উইলেমের এবং তাহার অন্তঃপাতি যে সকল স্থান তন্নিমিত্তে বঙ্গদেশের ফোর্ট উইলএমের সুপ্রেম কোর্ট আপন আদালত ঘরে ওয়েরটরমিনর এবং এডমাইরেল্‌টী অর্থাৎ মহা-

সমুদ্র সম্পর্কীয় মকদ্দমা নিষ্পত্তি জন্য এক সেশীয়ান অর্থাৎ মিছিল করিবেন।

এই সেশীয়ান অতকাল পর্য্যন্ত বসিবেক তাহার প্রথম দিবস দুই প্রহরের সময় তাহার পর প্রতি দিবস এগারো ঘন্টার সময় বসিবেক এ বিষয় সকলে স্মরণ রাখুন।

J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of an Order of the said Supreme Court, dated the Fourteenth day of February instant, that on Saturday, the Fifteenth day of March now next ensuing, a Court will be holden before Her Majesty's Justices of the said Court, at the Court-House in the Town of Calcutta, in execution of a Writ of *Mandamus* issued out of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer of Pleas at Westminster, for the examination and cross-examination *vivâ voce* on oath of Ludovico Carmichael, the Defendant, and such other Witnesses on the part of the Plaintiff as reside within the Jurisdiction of this Court, and for receiving other proofs therein, pursuant to the Statute in that case made and provided in a certain action now pending in the said Court of Exchequer of Pleas at Westminster, between Alexander Beattie, Plaintiff, and Ludovico Carmichael, Defendant. Dated this 25th day of February 1856.

H. HOLROYD,
Prothonotary.

P. J. PAUL, *Plaintiff's Attorney.*

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of the Asiatic Marine Insurance Office, being a Joint Stock Company, duly registered under an Act for the Regulation of Registered Joint Stock Companies.

On Saturday, the 5th day of January instant, it was ordered that such of the shareholders of the said Asiatic Marine Insurance Office, resident in Calcutta, or the suburbs thereof, as have neglected to pay the respective sums at which they have been respectively assessed by the Official Assignee of this Court in respect of the shares held by them respectively, in the said Asiatic Marine Insurance Office, do on or before the 1st day of March next, pay to the said Official Assignee the respective sums at which they have been respectively assessed or so much thereof as still remain unpaid, and that the shareholders of the said Asiatic Marine Insurance Office, resident in Hongkong and in Bombay, do on or before the 3rd day of May next, and that the shareholders of the said Asiatic Marine Insurance Office, resident in the Mauritius and in the Great Britain, and all other places not herein specifically mentioned, do on or before the 5th day of July next, pay to the said Official Assignee the respective sums at which they have been respectively assessed by the said Official Assignee in respect of the shares held by them respectively in the said Asiatic Marine Insurance Office, and that in case any of the shareholders of the said Asiatic Marine Insurance Office shall neglect to comply with this order within the time hereby limited, the said Official Assignee shall be at liberty to apply to this Court that such defaulting shareholder may be adjudged to have committed an act of insolvency according to the provisions of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI.

Smoult and Denman, *Attornies.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 31st January 1856.

In the matter of George Macallan Gow Smith, of Ramnaghur Factory, in the District of Jessore, but at present in Calcutta, carrying on the trade and business of an Indigo Planter, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 19th day of February instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Molloy and Mackintosh, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of Luttuckbehary Khettry, of Burra Bazar, in Calcutta, Broker and Merchant, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 18th day of February instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Templeton and Carrapiet, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 25th February 1856.

In the matter of Sumboochunder Dutt, of No. 44, Sickdarbugan Street, in Shampooker, in the Town of Calcutta, a Sircar in the Service of Messieurs Stuart and Company, Coach builders, an Insolvent.

Notice, that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Friday, the 7th day of March next, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent, desirous "of opposing such application, must appear before the "said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*"

Chief Clerk's Office, 27th February 1856.

In the matter of Bebee Nancy, of No. 5, Lower Chitpore Road, and Judoonauth Dhur, of Bow Bazar, in the Town of Calcutta, Inhabitants, lately carrying on trade and business together, as stable-keepers at Bow Bazar in the Town of Calcutta, aforesaid, Insolvents.

Notice, that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Friday, the 7th day of March next, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvents, desirous of opposing such application, must appear before the said Court at the time and place "aforesaid.*"

Beeby, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 29th February 1856.

Steamer to Chittagong and Arracan.

THE Hon'ble Company's Steamer *Hugh Lindsay* will be despatched to Akyab, and thence to Chittagong, about the 5th proximo.

Applications for Passage to be made to this Office, and for Freight for private goods to be made

to the Clerk of the Government Steam Boat Office.

By order of the Superintendent of Marine,

J. SUTHERLAND,
Officiating Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM;
Marine Supdt.'s Office,
The 25th February 1856.

Report showing the smallest Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee, Jellinghee, and Matabangah Rivers on the 22nd February 1856.

Names of Rivers.	*Smallest Depth of Water.*		*Where Shallowest.*
	F.	*I.*	
Bhaugiruttee River.			
At its entrance, ...	0	2½	
Below the entrance,...	0	2½	
From thence to Jungypore, ...	0	2	At Calloopore.
From Jungypore to Sadduckbaugh,..	1	3	„ Gungapersaud.
From Sadduckbaugh to Berhampore, ...	1	6	„ Berhampore.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, ...	1	5	„ Narkelbarree.
And from Cutwa to Nuddea, ...	1	6	„ Chackoondeeah.
Jellinghee River.			
At its entrance, ..	0	0	Closed.
From thence to Bausemarree, ...	0	0	
From Bausemarree to Teeahkattah,			
From Teeahkattah to Sonatullah,...			
And from Sonatullah to Moisgunge,			
*Matabangah River.**			
At its entrance, ...	2	9	
From thence to Haut Boleah, ...	2	5	At Malleeparrah.
	2	3	„ Akubpore.
	3	1	At Boleah Entrance.
From Haut Boleah to Katchikattah, ...	2	3	Above Bhaugberriah.
	2	6	At Kattabangah.
	2	8	„ Terronullah.
	2	8	„ Bhogulbogadhee.
	2	6	„ Asmancolly.
	2	6	„ Ramnugghur.
	2	6	„ Joogerhoodah.
	3	2	„ Khoodeeahcolly.
From Katchikattah to Kishengunge,	2	7	„ Kantopore.
	2	2	„ Howlee.
	2	4	Above Jeerat.
	2	9	„ Tahldah.
And from Kishengunge to Seebpore,	2	9	„ Gois.

Height of water on Gauge at Berhampore, on the 22nd February 1856, + 0 Foot 1¾ Inches.

J. LANG,
Supdt., Nuddea Rivers.

Kishnaghur,
26th February 1856.

* Since last Report, the channel of this river, at Malleeparrah has been deepened by the construction of Bandahls and by Kodalies from 2' to 3," to 2' 5", at Terronullah from 1', 10", to 2', 6", at Bhogulbogadhee from 1', 10", to 2' 8", at Joogerhoodah from 2', 1", to 2', 6", at Khoodeeahcolly from 2' 2", to 3' 2", at Kantopore from 2', 2", to 2', 7".

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the Week ending 27th February 1856.

LIABILITIES.

Proprietors' Capital, ...	1,07,00,000	0 0
Reserve Fund, ...	1,98,245	8 4
Current Accounts, ...	79,63,208	15 7
Cash Credits Undrawn, ...	12,30,434	14 3
Other Claims, ...	1,86,643	4 6
Bank Notes and Post Bills, ...	1,38,01,923	1 8
Co.'s Rs., ...	3,40,80,435	12 4

ASSETS.

Government Securities, ...	25,18,796	5 10
Dues from Government, ...	29,697	3 6
Mint Certificates, Undue, ...	31,45,374	2 9
Cash, ...	83,42,376	1 9
Loans on Deposit of Securities, -	1,58,82,710	10 2
Accounts of Credit on ditto, ...	16,19,720	2 7
Government Bills Discounted, ...	63,660	1 10
Mercantile Bills ditto, ...	23,15,603	3 1
Dead Stock, ...	1,62,517	12 10
Co.'s Rs. ...	3,40,80,435	12 4

Published by order of the Directors,

J. B. PLUMB,
Secretary and Treasurer.

C. N. COOKE,
Accountant.

Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China

CALCUTTA BRANCH.

RATES OF EXCHANGE
ON LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK,

	s.	*d.*	
At 6 months' sight, ...	2	2	per Rupee.
At 3 months' sight, ...	2	1½	„
At 3 days' sight, ...	2	1	„
On Scotland, or Ireland on demand, ..	2	1	„

The Bank grants Drafts and Letters of Credit on the Head Office at Bombay and on its Branches and Agencies at the following places, London, Ceylon, Madras, Singapore, Canton, and Shanghai. Bills collected at any of the above places at a uniform charge of ½ per cent.

For the convenience of parties travelling through Europe, Egypt and the Australian Colonies, the Bank issues Circular Notes payable in all of the principal towns in those countries.

The Bank will act as Agents for the purchase or sale of Government Paper, Bank Stock and other Securities; Draw Interest and Dividends payable in Calcutta, when due. Commission charged ¼ per cent.

No charge made when the proceeds of sale or amount of Interest or Dividends drawn is remitted in the Bank's Bills.

Government Paper and other Securities received for safe custody, free of charge, to the constituents of the Bank.

Rates of Interest allowed
ON DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO

3 months' notice of withdrawal,...	4 per Cent. per annum		
6	Ditto, ...	5	"
12	Ditto, ...	6	"

Notice may be given when the money is lodged or at any time thereafter, but will be dispensed with in cases when the money is to be remitted through the Bank.

Current Accounts kept, and on Balances of Rs. 500 and upwards, Interest at 2 per cent. per annum will be allowed.

N. B.—Hours of business 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. On Saturdays 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

D. T. ROBERTSON,
Manager.

LYONS' RANGE;
Calcutta,
The June 1855.

Agra and United Service Bank.

THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA having, by Notification of 25th January 1855, signified its intention to dissolve its existing connexion with the Government Agency, the AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK will, on being furnished with the necessary powers, receive charge of Government Paper and Bank Shares from the Agent, and realize the Interest when due and Dividends when declared. The Bank will also sell or invest in these Securities for Constituents.

Forms of Letters and Powers of Attorney may be obtained on application to the Bank at Calcutta, or its Branches at Agra and Lahore.

When the proceeds of Government Paper or Shares sold, or of Interest and Dividends realized, are remitted by the Bank's Drafts on England, or on its Indian Branches, no Commission will be charged.

If otherwise paid, or when the Paper or Shares are delivered over, the charge for Commission will be ¼ per cent.

HOURS OF BUSINESS.

From and after Wednesday, the 1st August from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when the Bank will be closed at 1 P. M.

FRANCIS R. NEILSON,
Secretary.

No. 2, Council-House Street,
Calcutta, 30th January 1855.

India General Steam Navigation Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office on Monday, the 10th of March next, at 3 P. M., for passing the Accounts and declaring a Dividend.

By order of the Directors,

J. F. STACE,
Secretary.

CALCUTTA,
26th January 1856.

Bengal Civil Fund.

NOTICE.

At the request of the undersigned nine Subscribers, a Special General Meeting of Subscribers to the Fund will be held on the 10th May next, at the Town Hall, at 4 o'clock P. M., "for the purpose of considering a motion to revise the decision of the General Meeting held on the 30th of January last, relative to the admission of the wife of Mr. F. J. Cockburn, to the benefits of the Fund."

(Sd.)	F. J. Cockburn.	(Sd.)	Coutts Trotter.
"	E. T. Trevor.	"	G. F. Cockburn.
"	J. G. Campbell.	"	W. Dampier.
"	A. W. Russell.	"	H. Alexander.
"	C. J. Daniell.		

By order, &c.,

E. F. HARRISON,
Hony. Secy.

C. F. O., *28th Feby* 1856.

Notice.

THE Partnership heretofore existing, and carried on, under the style or firm of STEWART AND CALROW, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstandings will be settled by WM. C. STEWART.

WM. C. STEWART.
R. F. CALROW,
By his Attorney,
WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
31st December 1855.

THE undersigned will continue the business as heretofore under the firm of WM. C. STEWART & Co.

WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
1st January 1856.

Notice.

THE Interest and Responsibility of DR. DAVID BEGG in our Firm ceased on the 29th ultimo, and MR. HUGH MACKINTOSH is this day admitted a Partner.

BATHGATE AND CO.,

Calcutta,
1st March 1856.

Notice.

THE undersigned have this day established themselves as Merchants and General Agents in Calcutta, under the style and firm of Begg, Dunlop and Co.

DAVID BEGG.
HENRY CHRISTIE.
ROBERT DUNLOP.

1st March 1856.

LOST.—A Co.'s 4 per cent. Loan No. 6827, of 12846, of 1842-43, dated 1st February 1843, for Co.'s Rs. 700. A reward to the finder.

LOST.—First-Half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 01524, for Co.'s Rs. 50. Payment has been stopped at the Bank.

LOST.—Government Promissory Note, No. 23917, of the Loan of 1842-43, for Co.'s Rs. 1,000. Payment has been stopped at the Treasury.

Just Published
[BY MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK AND CO.]
THE
NEW BENGAL DIRECTORY FOR 1856.

IN announcing the above Publication, Messrs. SAMUEL SMITH AND CO. beg to inform their Subscribers and the Public that they have completed their DIRECTORY for the present year which, in every Department of Information or Reference, has been amplified and corrected up to the latest date, and which, for convenience of Form, comprehensiveness, and elegance, considerably surpasses its predecessor of 1855.

Post Office Notifications.

No. 1159.

OVERLAND MAIL.

THE Overland Mail, *viâ* Marseilles and Southampton, and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon and Aden, per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Nubia*, will be closed at this Office, on Saturday, the 8th proximo.

Letters for the United Kingdom, directed *viâ* Marseilles, cannot be pre-paid in this Country. Pre-payment of Steam Postage on Letters *viâ* Southampton is optional.

Steam Postage on all Letters for Foreign Europe *viâ* Marseilles or *viâ* Trieste, and for the United Kingdom *viâ* Trieste, as well as for places in the Mediterranean and in Egypt, must be pre-paid, but Letters for Foreign Europe *viâ* Southampton cannot be pre-paid.

Letters for the United Kingdom, directed *viâ* Trieste, if posted unpaid, (or insufficiently paid by Stamps,) will be forwarded to London *viâ* Marseilles. Those for Foreign Europe will be sent to London *viâ* Southampton, bearing the full amount of Postage due thereon, and Letters for places in Egypt and the Mediterranean will be detained and treated as Unclaimed Letters.

No money will be received in payment of Postage on Letters, which must be paid by Stamps.

Letters for Madras, Ceylon, Bombay, Aden, Malacca, Penang, Singapore, and Hong-Kong, despatched by the P. and O. Co.'s Contract Steamer, are chargeable with Steam Postage, the pre-payment being optional.

Letters for the Mauritius, Australian Colonies, China (except Hong-Kong,) Manilla, Batavia, Java Bourbon, or any place not a British Possession, must be pre-paid by Steam Postage.

With regard to Newspapers and Prices Current the following Abstract of Rules relating to British Postage, chargeable under a Treasury Warrant of 30th June 1855, is published for general information:—

Newspapers or Prices Current posted in India for Great Britain and France are not subject in India to any charge for British Postage, but Newspapers, &c. posted in India, addressed to any British Colony or Possession, or any Foreign Port, or any Port in India, are, if sent by Her Majesty's Mail Steamers, or *viâ* Southampton through England, liable to a Steam Postage charge of One Penny (Nine Pie,) which must be pre-paid in cash. Newspapers, &c. sent through Great Britain *viâ* Marseilles are liable to a Postage charge of Four Pence, and if addressed to British North America *viâ* the United States, a charge of One Penny must be levied on account of the United States in addition to all other Postage.

Newspapers, &c. brought to India by Her Majesty's Packets from a Foreign Port, without having passed through Great Britain, are chargeable with British Postage of One Penny (Nine Pie) on delivery.

Only one paper can be sent in one cover.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM;
General Post Office,
The 26th February 1856.

No. 1160.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mails for Chittagong and Akyab, for transmission per H. C. Steamer *Hugh Lindsay*, will be closed at this Office on Tuesday, the 4th proximo.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM;
General Post Office,
The 28th February 1856.

No. 1169.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mails for Chittgong and Akyab, for transmission per H. C. Steamer *Hugh Lindsay*, will be closed at this Office on Saturday, the 8th proximo.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM;
General Post Office,
The 29th February 1856.

Packets for the reception of Letters by the following Ships are open at this Office:—

Names of Vessels.	Agents.	Intended Departure.	For what Port.	Touching at	Remarks.
Kendall ..	Messrs. Gladstone, Wylie and Co., ..	1st March 1856, ..	Melbourne, ..		
Str. Hugh Lindsay,...	Hon'ble Company, ..	5th Ditto, ..	Chittagong & Akyub,..		
Steamer Nubia, ...	P. and O. S. N. Co., ..	9th ditto, ..	Suez, ...	Madras Ceylon & Aden,	

C. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

CALCUTTA;
General Post Office,
The 29th February 1856.

Comparative Statement showing the Rates at which the Letter Mails were conveyed between Calcutta and Benares, and between Benares and Peshawur in the month of December 1854, and the corresponding month of 1855.

Divisions of the line.		Distance.	Rate attained per hour.						Remarks.
			December 1854.			December 1855.			
From.	To.		M.	F.	P.	M.	F.	P.	
Calcutta	to Benares, ...	422	7	4	0	10	3	14	Under P. M. G. of Bengal.
Benares	to Allahabad, ...	73	9	1	36	9	5	36	Under P. M. G., N. W. P.
Allahabad	to Cawnpore, ...	126	10	6	33	10	3	35	
Cawnpore	to Allyghur, ...	183	10	2	23	10	5	49	
Allyghur	to Delhi, ...	80	10	2	23½	10	7	12½	
Delhi	to Kurnaul, ...	75	9	5	25½	10	6	17	
Kurnaul	to Umballa, ...	40	6	3	26½	8	2	38	
Umballa	to Loodiana, ...	72	8	7	28½	9	0	2½	
Loodiana	to Lahore, ...	126	8	7	26	*a*10	4	16	
Lahore	to Jhelum, ...	108	*b*6	1	21	8	2	31	*a* The Dec. Return not being received, that for Nov. 1855 is given. *b* The Return for Dec. 1854 not received Return for Nov. 1854 given.
Jhelum	to Rawul Pindee,..	80	6	6	27	9	2	10	
Rawul Pindee	to Peshawur, ...	96	6	6	28	8	0	8	
	Total, ...	1481	0	0	0	0	0	0	

N. B.—In December 1854 the Mail was conveyed the whole distance from Calcutta to Benares in Mail carts. In December 1855 it was conveyed by Railway between Raneegunge and Calcutta. In the last-named month the speed attained in each division was as follows:—

				M.	F.	P.	
Calcutta	to Raneegunge,	122	miles, by Railway, ...	10	6	36	per hour.
Raneegunge	to Burhee,	124	miles, by Mail cart, ...	9	2	6	"
Burhee	to Sherghotty,	44	miles, by ditto, ...	10	6	29	"
Sherghotty	to Benares,	132	miles, by ditto, ...	10	3	29	"
	Total, ...	422	miles average rate, ...	10	3	14	

H. B. RIDDELL,
Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, 22nd February 1856.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 1856.

No. 303.

FORT WILLIAM, HOME DEPARTMENT,

THE 29TH FEBRUARY 1856.

THE Hon'ble Company's Steam Frigate *Feroze* arrived off the Dock-yard at ½ past 4 o'clock P. M. having on Board the Right Hon'ble CHARLES JOHN VISCOUNT CANNING, appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors to the Offices of Governor General of India and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Fort and Garrison of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal and of the Town of Calcutta. His Lordship was waited upon on Board of the *Feroze* by a Deputation of the Secretaries of the Government and Personal Staff of the Most Noble the Governor General, and having landed immediately proceeded to the Government House. At a ¼ to 6 o'clock P. M. the Right Hon'ble CHARLES JOHN VISCOUNT CANNING took the prescribed Oaths and his Seat as Governor General in the Supreme Council of India.

The following Proclamation is published by Order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council :—

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Right Hon'ble CHARLES JOHN VISCOUNT CANNING, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Hon'ble Privy Council, has been appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors of the East India Company to be Governor General of India and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Fort and Garrison of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal and of the Town of Calcutta, upon and from and after the death, resignation or coming away of the Marquis of DALHOUSIE; and whereas His Excellency General the Hon'ble George Anson, Commander-in-Chief of the Forces in India, has been appointed to be an Extraordinary Member of the Council of India, and Joseph Alexander Dorin, Esquire, Major General John Low, a Companion of the Most Hon'ble Military Order of the Bath, and John Peter Grant, Esquire, have been respectively appointed to be the First, Second and Third Ordinary Members of the said Supreme Council of India; and whereas the Hon'ble the Court of Directors have declared and confirmed Barnes Peacock, Esquire, to be and to continue the Fourth Ordinary Member of the said Council; and whereas the Most Noble the Marquis of DALHOUSIE, K. T., has this day resigned the Offices of Governor General of India, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Fort and Garrison of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal and

of the Town of Calcutta; and the said Right Hon'ble CHARLES JOHN VISCOUNT CANNING has assumed the said Offices; The above recited appointments are hereby notified; and it is further proclaimed that the said CHARLES JOHN VISCOUNT CANNING, Governor General of India, has this day taken the usual Oaths and his Seat in the Supreme Council of India, and that General the Hon'ble George Anson, Joseph Alexander Dorin, Esquire, Major General John Low, C. B., John Peter Grant, Esquire, and Barnes Peacock, Esquire, have respectively taken their Seats in the said Council.

By Order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

CECIL BEADON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 304.

FORT WILLIAM, HOME DEPARTMENT,
THE 29TH FEBRUARY 1856.

THE Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council directs that all distinctions and honors which were paid to the Most Noble the Marquis of DALHOUSIE, K. T., when in Office, shall be continued to His Lordship during his stay in India.

CECIL BEADON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

THOS. JONES, "CALCUTTA GAZETTE" OFFICE.

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Notifications.

THE 14TH MAY 1853.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, from the 1st July next, Public Officers employed under this Government are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of the Government Work from and after that date.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE 2ND FEBRUARY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, all Public Officers under the Government of India at the Presidency are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of Government Work.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1856.

Legislative Council.

The 23rd February 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Most Noble the Governor General on the 22nd February 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. V OF 1856.

An Act to give effect to Act XXIII of 1854 from the time of its promulgation in the District of Malabar, and to extend the application thereof in future.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by a proclamation published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, under date the 18th September 1855, the Governor in Council of Fort St. George declared the whole of the District of Malabar to be subject to the operation of all the provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 ; and whereas long prior to such publication, namely, before the 1st of March 1855, the said Act had been published and promulgated throughout the District of Malabar, and was believed by the class of persons therein described as Moplas, and by all other classes of the inhabitants, to be immediately operative ; and it is expedient that the said Act should have effect according to the general belief and understanding in that respect ; and whereas it is expedient to extend the application of the said Act : It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Act XXIII of 1854 to be deemed to have been in force from the 1st of March 1855.

I. Act XXIII of 1854 shall be deemed to have been in force for all purposes from the 1st March 1855 in the same manner as if the said proclamation had been published on that date.

Provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 extended to all murders, &c. committed by Moplas.

II. From and after the passing of this Act, the provisions of Act XXIII of 1854 shall apply to any Mopla who murders or attempts to murder any person ; and to any Mopla who takes part in any outrage directed by Moplas against any person wherein murder is committed or attempted to be committed or is likely to be committed, and to any person who shall procure or promote the commission of any such crime as aforesaid, or shall incite or encourage any other person or persons to commit the same, or who, after having committed or having been accessary to any such crime as aforesaid, shall forcibly resist any person or persons having lawful authority to apprehend him, or who shall join or assist, or incite or encourage other persons to join or assist in such resistance.

Construction of Act.

III. The said Act XXIII of 1854 and this Act shall be read and construed together as one Act.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Legislative Council.

The 29th February 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Most Noble the Governor General on the 28th February 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. VI OF 1856.

An Act for granting exclusive privileges to Inventors.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient, for the encouragement of Inventors of new manufactures, that certain exclusive privileges in their inventions should be granted to them in India ; It is enacted as follows :—

Inventor may petition for leave to file specification.

I. The inventor of any new manufacture may petition the Governor General of India in Council for leave to file a specification thereof. Every such petition shall be in

writing in the form or to the effect mentioned in the Schedule hereunto annexed, and shall be signed by the petitioner, or, in case the petitioner shall be absent from India, by an authorized agent, and shall state the name, addition, and place of residence of the petitioner, and the nature of the invention.

Form, &c., of petition.

II. Upon such petition, the Governor General of India in Council may make an order authorizing the petitioner to file a specification of the invention.

Order to file specification.

III. Before making such order, the Governor General of India in Council may refer the petition to any person or persons for enquiry and report, and such person or persons shall be entitled to a reasonable fee for such enquiry and report to be paid by the petitioner; the amount of such fee, in case of dispute, to be settled by a Judge of one of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature in a summary manner.

Power to refer petition for enquiry and report.

IV. If, within the space of six calendar months from the date of such order, the petitioner cause a specification of his invention to be filed in manner hereinafter mentioned, the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall be entitled to the sole and exclusive privilege of making, selling, and using the said invention in India, and of authorizing others so to do for the term of 14 years from the time of filing such specification and for such further term, if any, not exceeding 14 years from the expiration of the first14 years, as the Governor General of India in Council may think fit to direct, upon petition to be presented by such inventor, at any period not more than one year, and not less than six calendar months, before the expiration of the exclusive privilege hereby granted.

Petitioner entitled to exclusive privilege for 14 years from the time of filing specification.

Extension of term of exclusive privilege.

V. An order authorizing the filing of a specification, or for extending the term of such exclusive privilege as aforesaid, may be made subject to any such conditions and restrictions as the Governor General of India in Council may think expedient.

Order to file specification may be made subject to condition.

VI. Every specification of an invention filed under this Act, shall be in writing, and shall be signed by the petitioner, and shall particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the said invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

Specification to be in writing and to describe the invention.

VII. Every petition for leave to file a specification and every specification filed under this Act shall be left with the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, and every petition and specification shall be accompanied by a declaration in writing signed by the petitioner in the form or to the effect mentioned in the Schedule hereunto annexed, marked A and B respectively; and if the inventor be absent from India, the petition and specification shall also be accompanied by a declaration signed by the agent who shall present or file the same, to the effect that he verily believes that the declaration purporting to be the declaration of the inventor, was signed by him, and that the contents thereof are true, which declaration shall be in the form hereunto annexed, marked C. The date of the delivery of every such petition and specification shall be endorsed on the same respectively and shall also be recorded at the office of the said Secretary.

Petition and specification to be left with Secretary to Government.

Petition, &c. to be accompanied by declaration.

Date of delivery to be endorsed on petition.

VIII. If any person, who shall make a declaration under this Act, shall wilfully and corruptly make any false statement therein, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and shall be proceeded against and upon conviction punished accordingly.

False statement in declaration punishable as perjury.

IX. No specification shall be filed until the petitioner shall have paid all fees payable under this Act, including the fees, if any, of the person or persons to whom the petition shall have been referred for inquiry and report.

Specification not to be filed before payment of fees.

X. At the time of delivering the specification for the purpose of being filed, the petitioner shall cause to be delivered to the said Secretary five copies thereof, of which

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Bengal,

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Fort St. George,

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Bombay, and

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

A copy of such specification shall be open at all reasonable times at the office of each of the said Secretaries to public inspection upon payment of a fee of one rupee.

Copies of specification to be delivered and distributed.

To be open to inspection.

XI. A book shall be kept in the office of the said Secretary to the Government of India wherein shall be entered and recorded every such petition and specification and every order made upon such petition or relating to the invention therein mentioned. Every specification shall be numbered according to the order in which it is entered in such book; and a reference shall be made in such book, in the margin of the entry of each specification, to every order relating to the invention.

Book for the registry of petitions, specifications, &c.

XII. Such book, or a copy thereof, shall be open at all convenient times for the inspection of any person upon payment of a fee of one rupee; and the said Secretary shall cause a copy of any entry therein, certified under his hand, to be given to any person requiring the same, on payment of the expense of copying.

Inspection of registry book.

Certified copy of entry to be given.

XIII. Every such certified copy shall be *primâ facie* evidence of the document of which it purports to be a copy.

Certified copy to be *primâ facie* evidence.

XIV. No person shall be entitled to any exclusive privilege under the provisions of this Act—

No person entitled to exclusive privilege in any of the following cases.

If the invention, at the time of presenting the petition for leave to file the specification, was not a new invention,

If invention not new,

If the petitioner is not the inventor thereof, or

If petitioner is not inventor, or

If the specification filed does not particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

If specification does not describe the invention.

XV. Every exclusive privilege under this Act shall cease if the Governor General of India in Council shall declare that the same, or the mode in which it is exercised, is mischievous to the State, or generally prejudicial to the public; or if a breach of any special condition on which the petitioner shall be authorized to file a specification, or upon which the term of the exclusive privilege shall be extended, shall be proved to the satisfaction of any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature, and if the Governor General of India shall thereupon declare that such exclusive privilege shall cease.

Exclusive privilege to cease if Government declare it mischievous, &c. to public.

Or if Government, upon breach of condition proved, declare that it shall cease.

XVI. The importer into India of a new invention shall be deemed an inventor within the meaning of this Act. Provided that the exclusive privilege under this Act shall cease unless he or his executors, administrators, or assigns shall, within two years from the date of the petition, put his invention into practice in India, and shall either continue to use the same or grant licenses upon reasonable terms to such persons as shall be willing to put the same into practice.

Importer of invention to be deemed an inventor.

His privilege to cease unless invention be put into practice in India within two years.

XVII. A foreigner, whether resident abroad or not, may petition for leave to file a specification under this Act.

Foreign inventor.

XVIII. An invention shall be deemed a new invention within the meaning of this Act, if it shall not, before the time of applying for leave to file the specification, have been publicly used in India or been made publicly known there by means of a printed publication. The public use or knowledge of an invention prior to the application for leave to file a specification, shall not be deemed a public use or knowledge within the meaning of this Section if the knowledge shall have been obtained surreptitiously or in fraud of the actual inventor or shall have been communicated to the public in fraud of the actual inventor or in breach of confidence. Provided the inventor shall, within six calendar months after the commencement of such public use, apply for leave to file his specification and shall not previously have acquiesced in such public use. Provided also, that the use of an invention in public by the actual inventor thereof, or by his servants or agents, or by any other person by his license in writing, shall not be deemed a public use thereof within the meaning of this Act.

An invention not publicly used or known in India before the application for leave to file a specification, to be deemed a new invention within this Act.

Knowledge of invention fraudulently acquired.

Proviso.

Public use by actual inventor.

XIX. If an actual inventor who, prior to the time of applying for leave to file a specification of an invention under this Act, shall have obtained Her Majesty's Letters Patent for the exclusive use of such invention, in any part of the United Kingdom, shall, within twelve calendar months from the passing of this Act, or within six calendar months from the date of such Letters Patent, petition the Governor General of India in Council for leave to file a specification of such invention, the invention shall be deemed a new invention within the meaning of this Act, if it was not publicly known or used in India at the date of the petition for such Letters Patent, notwithstanding it may have been publicly known or used in India before the time of his petitioning, under this Act, for leave to file the specification; and if the actual inventor shall obtain an exclusive privilege under this Act, in respect of such invention, any exclusive privilege previously obtained by an importer of such invention shall thereupon cease. Provided the petition for leave to file the specification shall state that such Letters Patent have been granted, and shall also state the date thereof and the term during which the same are to continue in force.

Actual inventor having obtained English Letters Patent to petition within 12 months from the passing of this Act, or within 6 months from the date of the Letters Patent.

Invention, if not publicly known or used in India at the time of applying for such Letters Patent, to be deemed new.

If actual inventor obtain an exclusive privilege, any privilege obtained by an importer shall cease.

What to be stated in such petition.

XX. No exclusive privilege obtained under this Act shall entitle the owner of such privilege to exclude any person from using the invention, who, prior to the 7th day of July 1855, used the same in India.

Saving of rights of persons who used invention before 7th of July 1855.

XXI. An action may be maintained by an inventor against any person who, during the continuance of any exclusive privilege granted by this Act, shall, without the license of the said inventor, make, use, sell, or put in practice the said invention, or who shall counterfeit or imitate the same. Provided that no such action shall be maintained in any of the Courts of the East India Company other than the principal Court of original jurisdiction in civil cases within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the cause of action shall accrue or the defendant shall reside as a fixed inhabitant.

Action for infringement.

XXII. No such action shall be defended upon the ground of any defect or insufficiency of the specification of the invention, nor shall any such action be defended upon the ground of a misdescription of the invention in the petition; nor upon the ground that the Plaintiff was not the inventor, unless the defendant shall show that he is the actual inventor or derives title from him. Any such ac-

Defect in specification or petition, or want of novelty in invention, &c., no defence to action for infringement.

The actual use of an invention in India before date of petition, a defence to such action.

tion may be defended upon the ground that the invention was not new, if the person making the defence, or some person through whom he claims, shall, before the date of the petition for leave to file the specification, have publicly or actually used in India the invention, or that part of it of which the infringement shall be proved; but not otherwise.

Application to Supreme Courts to declare exclusive privilege not to have been acquired on following grounds—

XXIII. It shall be lawful for any person to apply by motion to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature for a rule to show cause why the Court should not declare that an exclusive privilege in respect of an invention has not been acquired under the provisions of this Act by reason of all or any of the objections following (to be specified in the rule), that is to say—

Invention not new.

That the said invention was not, at the time of presenting the petition for leave to file the specification, a new invention, or

Petitioner not the inventor, &c.

That the petitioner was not the inventor thereof, and, in addition thereto, either that the applicant was the inventor or that the inventor has dedicated or made known the invention to the public or has acquiesced in the public use thereof, or

Invention not described in specification.

That the specification filed does not particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the invention or in what manner the same is to be performed, or

Fraud in petition or specification.

That the petitioner has fraudulently included in the petition or specification as part of his invention something which was not new or whereof he was not the inventor, or

False statement in petition.

That the petitioner has wilfully made a false statement in his petition, or

Fraudulent misdescription of part of invention in specification.

That some part of the invention, or the manner in which that part is to be performed as described in the said specification, is not thereby sufficiently described and ascertained, and that such defect or insufficiency was fraudulent, and is injurious to the public.

Like application as to part of an invention.

XXIV. Any person may, in like manner, apply to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature for a rule to show cause why the Court should not declare that an exclusive privilege has not been acquired under the provisions of this Act in any part of the invention to be specified in the rule by reason of all or any of the objections following (to be specified in the rule,) that is to say—

That such part of the invention was not new at the date of the petition for leave to file the specification,

That the petitioner was not the inventor of that part of the invention, and, in addition thereto, either that the applicant was the inventor of that part or that the inventor has dedicated or made known the same to the public or has acquiesced in the public use thereof, or

That that part of the invention, and the manner in which it is to be performed, is not sufficiently described and ascertained in the specification, and that such defect or insufficiency is injurious to the public.

Application by Advocate General, on breach of special condition.

XXV. It shall be lawful for the Advocate General of the East India Company at any of the Presidencies of Fort William in Bengal, Fort St. George, and Bombay, or any other person, by order of the Governor General in Council, to apply to any of the said Courts of Judicature for a rule calling upon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, to show cause why the question of the breach of any special condition upon which the leave to file a specification has been granted, or any other question of fact on which the revocation of the exclusive privilege by the Governor General in Council under the power hereinbefore reserved may, in the judgment of the said Governor General in Council, depend, should not be tried in the form of an issue directed by the said Court; and, if the rule be made absolute, the Court, unless the breach or other matter of fact be admitted, may thereupon direct such issue to be tried, and certify the result of such trial to the Governor General in Council. The costs of such trial, and also the costs of any proceedings in any of the said Courts of Judicature under the provisions of this Act, shall be in the discretion of the Court.

Service of proceedings on all persons interested.

XXVI. Notice of any rule obtained or proceeding taken under either of the last three preceding Sections shall be served on all persons appearing to be proprietors or to have shares or interests in the exclusive privilege under the provisions of Section XXXIV of this Act, and it shall not be necessary to serve such notice on any other persons.

Supreme Court may direct issue for trial to other Courts.

XXVII. Any of the said Courts of Judicature, if it think fit, may direct an issue for the trial, before the same Court or any other Court of Her Majesty or any principal Court of original jurisdiction in civil cases of the East India Company, of any question of fact arising upon an application under Section XXIII, XXIV, or XXV of this Act, and such issue shall be tried accordingly in a summary manner, and, if the issue be directed to another Court, the finding shall be certified by the Court before which the same was tried, to the Court directing the issue. If the issue be directed to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature, the Court by which the issue is tried may, before the finding is certified, direct a new trial of such issue according to the usual course and practice of such Court. If the issue be directed to a Court of the East India Company, the finding shall not be subject to appeal to any other Court of the said Company, but the evidence taken upon the trial shall be recorded, and a copy thereof, certified by the Judge, shall be transmitted, together with any remarks he may think fit to make thereon, to the Court by which the issue was directed; and such Court may either act upon the decision of the Court which tried the issue, or direct a new trial if it shall appear necessary.

New trial.

Judgment.

XXVIII. If it shall appear to any of the said Courts of Judicature at the hearing of any application under the provisions of Section XXIII or XXIV

of this Act that, by reason of any of the objections therein mentioned, the said exclusive privilege in the invention or in any part thereof has not been acquired, the Court shall give judgment accordingly, and shall make such order as to the costs of and consequent upon the application as it may think just; and thereupon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, and assigns, shall, so long as the judgment continues in force, cease to be entitled to such exclusive privilege.

Costs.

XXIX. If the Court, at the hearing of any such application as last aforesaid, shall think that the petitioner has, in the description of his invention in the petition or specification, included something which at the date of the petition was not new or whereof he was not the inventor, or that the specification is in any particular defective or insufficient, but that the error, defect, or insufficiency was not fraudulently intended, the Court may adjudge the said exclusive privilege to have been acquired and to be valid, save as to the part thereof affected by such error, defect, or insufficiency, or, if the Court shall think that the error, defect, or insufficiency can be amended without injury to the public, they may adjudge the exclusive privilege in the whole of the invention to be valid, and may, upon such terms as shall appear reasonable, order the specification to be amended in any of the said particulars; and thereupon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall, within the time limited by the said Court for the purpose, file a specification amended according to such order.

Amendment of specification.

XXX. An exclusive privilege shall not be defeated upon the ground that there is any misdescription of the invention in the petition, unless such misdescription was fraudulent.

Misdescription in the petition, if not fraudulent, not to defeat the privilege.

XXXI. Whenever it shall be adjudged by any of the said Courts of Judicature that an exclusive privilege as to the whole or any part of an invention has not been acquired, the said Secretary to the Government of India shall, upon the production of the judgment or order, cause an entry thereof to be made in the said book, hereinbefore directed to be kept, and shall cause a reference to such entry to be made in the margin of the entry of the specification contained in such book.

Entry in registry book of judgment, &c. declaring privilege not to have been acquired.

XXXII. If, upon proceedings instituted within two years from the date of a petition to file a specification, the actual inventor shall prove to the satisfaction of any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature or of the principal Court of the East India Company having jurisdiction in Civil cases within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the Defendant shall reside as a fixed inhabitant, that the petitioner was not the actual inventor and that, at the time of the petition, he knew or had good reason to believe that the knowledge of the invention was obtained by himself or by some other person surreptitiously or in fraud of the actual inventor, or by means of a communication made in confidence by the actual inventor to him or to any person through whom he derived such knowledge, the Court may compel the petitioner to assign to the actual inventor any exclusive privilege obtained under this Act and to account for and pay over the profits thereof.

In what case actual inventor entitled to assignment of an exclusive privilege fraudulently obtained.

XXXIII. In any action for the infringement of such exclusive privilege the Plaintiff shall deliver with his plaint particulars of the breaches complained of in the said action, and the Defendant, in pleading thereto, shall deliver with his pleas particulars of the grounds (if any) upon which he means to contend that the Plaintiff is not entitled to an exclusive privilege in the invention. In like manner, upon any application to any of the said Courts of Judicature under Section XXIII, XXIV, or XXV of this Act, the applicant shall deliver particulars of the objections on which he means to rely. At the trial of any such action or issue no evidence shall be allowed to be given in support of any alleged infringement or of any objection impeaching the validity of such exclusive privilege which shall not be contained in the particulars delivered as aforesaid. If it be alleged that the invention was publicly known or used prior to the date of the petition for leave to file such specification, the places where and the manner in which the invention was so publicly known or used shall be stated in such particulars. Provided, always, that it shall be lawful for any Court in which the action or proceeding is pending, or in which the issue is tried, to allow the Plaintiff or Defendant respectively to amend the particulars delivered as aforesaid upon such terms as shall seem fit.

Particulars to be delivered.

XXXIV. A book shall be kept in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department (such book to be open to inspection without fee) wherein every person filing a specification under this Act shall cause to be stated, under a number corresponding with the number of the specification, some place in India where service of any rule or proceedings for the purpose of cancelling or revoking his exclusive privilege may be made. All persons, partnerships, or Companies from time to time being proprietors of, or having shares or interests in, such exclusive privilege, shall cause to be entered in such book, under such number as aforesaid, their names, together with the name of some place for the service of such proceedings as aforesaid. All such rules and proceedings as aforesaid shall be deemed sufficiently served on any such person, partnership, or Company if a copy thereof be left at the place entered in such book, or (if any other place be substituted for the same by entry in the said book) at the place last substituted, by delivering the same to any person resident at, or in charge of, such place; or, if there be no person resident at, or in charge of, such place, or if such place be not within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, by causing such rule or proceeding to be sent by Post by a registered letter directed to such person, partnership, or Company at such place; and if any such person, partnership, or Company shall neglect to make or cause to be made such entry, then service of such rule or proceeding, may be effected by affixing a copy thereof to some conspicuous part of the Court House or in such other manner as the Court may direct.

Service of proceedings.

XXXV. Nothing herein contained shall abridge or affect the Prerogative of the Crown in relation to the granting or withholding the grant of any Letters Patent

Nothing in this Act to affect Prerogative of Crown.

for inventions or otherwise, or affect or interfere with any Letters Patent for an invention heretofore granted or hereafter to be granted by the Crown.

Stamp on petition.

XXXVI. Every petition for leave to file a specification under the provisions of this Act, or for the extension of the term of an exclusive privilege, shall be written or printed on stamped paper of the value of one hundred rupees.

Interpretation.

XXXVII. In the construction of this Act, the following words and expressions shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them, unless there be something in the subject or context repugnant to such construction.

Words importing the singular number shall include the plural number, and words importing the plural number shall include the singular number.

Words importing the masculine gender shall include females.

The word "invention" shall include an improvement.

The word "manufacture" shall be deemed to include any art, process, or manner of producing, preparing, or making an article, and also any article prepared or produced by manufacture.

The word "inventor" when not used in conjunction with the word "actual," shall include the importer of an invention not publicly known or used in India.

The words "inventor" and "actual inventor" shall include the executors, administrators, or assigns of an inventor or actual inventor as the case may be.

The word "assigns" shall include grantees of the sole use or benefit in India of an invention, or of the sole use of an exclusive privilege for a limited time.

The word "India" shall mean the territories for the time being in the possession and under the Government of the East India Company.

The words "Governor General in Council" shall include the "President in Council."

The words "Secretary to the Government of India" shall include any Under-Secretary to the said Government.

FORM OF PETITION.

To the Governor General of India in Council.

The petition of *(here insert name, addition, and place of residence)* for leave to file a specification under Act No. VI of 1856.

Sheweth,

That your petitioner is in possession of an invention for *(state the title of the invention)*, which invention he believes will be of public utility; that he is the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or the executor or administrator of the inventor)*; and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to the best of his knowledge and belief *(or, as the case may be, that he is the first importer into India of the said invention, and that the same is not publicly known or used in India.)*

(If Letters Patent have been obtained for the invention, state according to the requirements of Section XIX.)

The following is a description of the invention *(here describe it.)*

Your petitioner therefore prays for leave to file a specification of the said invention pursuant to the provisions of Act No. VI of 1856.

And your petitioner, &c.

(Signed)

The day of

FORMS OF DECLARATION.

A.

I *(here insert name, addition, and place of residence)* do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am in possession of an invention for *(state the title of the invention as in the petition)*; that I believe the said invention will be of public utility; that I am the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or executor or administrator of the inventor) (or that I am the first importer of the said invention into India)* and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to the best of my knowledge and belief; and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, my said invention is truly described in my petition for leave to file a specification thereof.

The day of

(Signed)

B.

I *(here insert name addition and place of residence)* do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am in possession of an invention for *(state the nature of the invention,)* which invention I believe will be of public utility; that I am the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or executor or administrator of the inventor)(or that I am the first importer of the said invention into India)* and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to the best of my knowledge and belief; and that, to the best of my belief, the instrument in writing under my hand hereunto annexed particularly describes and ascertains the nature of the said invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

The day of

(Signed)

C.

I of

do solemnly and sincerely declare that I have been appointed by the said his agent for the purpose of , and I verily believe that the declaration purporting to be the declaration of the said marked ( ) was signed by him, and that the contents thereof are true.

The day of

(Signed) ———

W. Morgan,

Clerk of the Council.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 336.

Fort William, Home Department,
The 28th February 1856.

Notification.—The following Despatch, received from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, is published for general information :—

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 112 *of* 1855.

OUR GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Letter from, in Revenue Department, dated 14th September 1855, No. 16.

With reference to the appointment of Mr. W. Dampier to be a Member of the Board of Revenue, requests the Court's decision on the question as to the date from which service is to be computed, to commence for the purpose mentioned in Section 29 Chapter VII. of the new Civil Service Rules.

In applying the new Rule, which limits the period of service of Civil Servants to 35 years, except in special cases, we intend that the period of service should be taken to commence from the date of arrival of the Servant in India. This decision accords with the opinion expressed in your letter.

We are, &c.,
(Signed) E. MACNAGHTEN,
" W. H. SYKES,
And other Directors.

LONDON,
The 19th December 1855.

No. 337.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council has been pleased to grant to Mr. H. B. Riddell, Director General of the Post Office of India, leave of absence to proceed to England on private affairs, under Section XIV. of the Rules, for six months, from the date of the sailing of the vessel on which he may embark.

Dr. G. Paton is appointed to officiate as Director General of the Post Office of India.

No. 338.

Mr. S. Clark, of the Bengal Medical Establishment, is appointed to officiate as Post-master General of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 339.

Messrs. E. G. Jenkinson and F. B. Outram, appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors Members of the Civil Service on the Bengal Establishment, reported their arrival at the Presidency on the 25th instant, by the Steam-ship *Hindostan.*

No. 340.

Dr. A. Sprenger, a Member of the Board of Examiners and Persian Translator to the Government of India, resumed charge of his duties on the 26th instant.

No. 341.

Mr. H. Lewis is appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Superintendent of Marine.

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 342.

The 4th March 1856.

Notification.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General requests the attendance of all the Civil and Military Servants of the Government on Thursday, the 6th instant, at 5 o'clock P. M., at Government House, on the occasion of the departure of the MARQUIS OF DALHOUSIE, K. T., who will embark with his Suite on that day on the H. C. S. Frigate *Feroze* from Prinsep's Ghât, on his return to England.

By order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 343.

The following Garrison Order is published for general information :—

GARRISON ORDER BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR.

Fort William, the 4th March 1856.

The whole of the Garrison and General Staff, as well as other Officers on duty at the Presidency, are directed to be in attendance at Government House on Thursday, the 6th instant, at 5 o'clock P. M., the day and hour fixed for the departure of the MARQUIS OF DALHOUSIE, K. T.

C. S. REID, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major.

By order of the Governor General,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1286.

Fort William, Foreign Department,
The 28th February 1856.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in the Punjab :—

Major E. Lake, ...	To be a Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Class.
Mr. P. S. Melvill, ...	To be a Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Class.
Mr. R. P. Jenkins, ... Mr. H. Brereton, ...	To be Deputy Commissioners of the 3rd Class.
Lieut. H. W. H. Coxe, Mr. T. D. Forsyth, ... Lieut. H. J. Hawes,...	To be Assistant Commissioners of the 1st Class.
Mr. J. C. Macnabb,...	To be an Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class.

No. 1287.

Mr. W J. R. Carnac, Deputy Commissioner of Rawul Pindee, has obtained leave of absence under Clause II. Section XIV. of the new Civil Absentee Rules, for two months and twenty days, from the 7th November last (the date on which he was re-appointed a Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Class,) to enable him to re-join his appointment.

No. 1288.

Mr. J. Vans Agnew, Assistant Settlement Officer at Googaira, in the Punjab, has obtained leave of absence for one month, from the 11th instant, under Section XII. of the new Absentee Rules.

Mr. F. H. Cooper, Officiating Deputy Commissioner at Umritsur, has obtained leave of absence for three months, from the 15th July next, or from such date as he may avail himself of it, under Section XII. of the new Absentee Rules.

No. 1289.

Lieutenant F. J. Oldfield, Officiating Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General for the States of Rajpootana, joined his appointment on the 1st instant.

No. 1290.

The 4th March 1856.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant J. R. G. G. Shortt, of the 7th Regiment Bombay N. I., employed temporarily under the Governor General's Agent in Rajpootana, and Lieutenant C. A. McMahon, of the 39th Regiment Madras N. I., to be Assistant Commissioners in the Punjab.

No. 1291.

Mr. D. G. Nicolson, Assistant Commissioner, Tenasserim and Martaban Provinces, received charge of the Office of Additional Assistant Commissioner of Martaban from Lieutenant R. C. Burn, on the 5th ultimo, as a temporary arrangement.

No. 1292.

Mr. H. W. Lewis, Extra Assistant, assumed charge of his appointment at the Station of Twan-tay, in the Rangoon District, on the 17th ultimo.

No. 1293.

Colonel F. H. Sandys, Political Agent at Mehidpore, availed himself on the 18th ultimo of the leave granted to him in G. O. dated the 15th idem, No. 1011, making over charge of his Office to the Agent to the Governor General for Central India.

G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 46.

Fort William, Public Works Department,

PUBLIC.

The 28th February 1856.

Appointment.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following temporary appointment:—

Assistant Overseer J. Fennessy, at present employed as a Surveyor in the Cuttack Division, is appointed to the temporary charge of the Dacca 2nd Class Division.

W. E. BAKER, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 621.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 28th February 1856.—The following Gentlemen to be Members of the Local Committee of Public Instruction at Bancoorah:—

Mr. H. Balfour.
Baboo Bissessur Chuckerbutty.

The 29th February 1856.—Mr. G. C. Fletcher to be a Member of the Ferry Fund Committee at Chittagong.

The 3rd March 1856.—Mr. P. F. Bellew to be Civil Assistant Surgeon at Mymensing, from the date of Mr. Elton's departure for Europe.

Leave of Absence.—The 23rd February 1856.—The Reverend R. Henderson, Junior Chaplain of St. Andrew's Church, for eight months, under Medical certificate, in extension of the leave obtained by him on the 30th of March last.

The 1st March 1856.—Mr. E. G. Birch, Superintendent, Revenue Survey, 1st or North Division, for fifteen months, on Medical certificate, under Section VI. of the new revised Absentee Rules.

The 3rd March 1856.—Mr. T. Sandys, Judge of Behar, for one month, making over charge of the current duties of his Office to the Principal Sudder Ameen of the District. Moulovy Mahomed Rafiq Khan, Principal Sudder Ameen of Monghyr, for one month, on Medical certificate, from the 21st ultimo, making over charge of the current duties of his Office to the Moonsiff of the District.

Notification.—The 4th March 1856.—The Hon'ble A. Eden, of the Civil Service, reported his departure from the Presidency on the Ship *Futteh Shah Allum* on the 28th ultimo.

W. GREY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor North-Western Provinces.

No. 1357 of 1856.

Financial Department,

Agra, the 8th February 1856.

Appointments.—Mr. Edward James Boldero to officiate as Civil Auditor, N. W. P., from the date of receiving charge of the Office.

No. 1354 of 1856.

Revenue Department,

The 25th February 1856.

Mr. Charles Grant, Assistant, vested with the powers of a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the District of Moozuffernugger.

No. 1356 of 1856.

Judicial Department,

CRIMINAL.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. Alexander Ross, Magistrate and Collector of Seharunpore, for one month, under Section XII. of the Absentee Rules.

No. 1358 of 1856.

Appointments.—Mr. George Montague Balmbrough Berford to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Moozuffernugger, from the date of receiving charge of the Office.

No. 1415 of 1856.

Revenue Department,

The 26th February 1856.

Ahmud Hosein Khan to be Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833 and Deputy Magistrate under Act XV. of 1853, with powers of a Covenanted Assistant, as described in Section XX. Regulation IX. of 1807, in Zillah Mynpooree.

No. 1266 of 1856.

General Department,

The 27th February 1856.

Notification.—The services of Assistant Surgeon E. James are re-placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, from the 2nd

instant, instead of the 31st ultimo, as notified in G. O. No. 122 A., of that date, which is hereby cancelled.

No. 1268 of 1856.

Appointment.—Lieutenant John Murray Murray, 6th Light Cavalry, to be an A. D. C. on the Staff of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, from the 16th instant.

No. 1438 of 1856.
Judicial Department.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. Frederick Bebb Gubbins, Officiating Judge of Benares, for one year, on Medical certificate, under Section VI. of the new Absentee Rules, from the 2nd April next.

No. 1441 of 1856.
Judicial and Revenue Department.

Appointment.—Mr. Swinton Samuel Melville, to be an Assistant to the Superintendent at Dehra Doon.

W. MUIR,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

No. 1241 of 1856.
General Department,
Agra, the 26th February 1856.

Appointments.—Mr. P. C. Trench to be a Member of the Dispensary Committee at Seharunpore.

No. 1290 of 1856.
The 27th February 1856.

The under-mentioned Officers are appointed Marriage Registrars in the several Districts stated :—

Mr. R. Thornhill, ...Etawah.
" A. Ross, ...Ghazeepore.
" A. Shakespear, ...Bijnore.
" M. Ricketts, ...Shahjehanpore.
" R. H. W. Dunlop,...Meerut.

By order of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces,

G. W. WILLIAMS,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 29th February 1856.

No. 351 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to assign rank to the under-mentioned Second Lieutenants, Cornets, Ensigns and Assistant Surgeons, from the dates specified opposite to their names :—

Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Andrew Douie (not arrived,) ...	7th December 1855.
Second Lieutenant Richard Thomas Hare (not arrived,)	
Second Lieutenant Charles Edward Nairne (not arrived,)	
Second Lieutenant Hector Munro (not arrived,) ...	
Second Lieutenant William Gully (not arrived,)	

Cavalry.

Cornet Melville Balfour, ...	4th December 1855.
Cornet Charles Hay Fairlie,	

Infantry.

Ensign John Liston (not arrived,)...	7th December 1855.
Ensign Alfred Fitz Hugh (not arrived,) - ..	
Ensign Robert Horace Hudleston (not arrived,).. ...	
Ensign William Wemyss Frewen Hay (not arrived,)	
Ensign Malcolm George Clerk (not arrived,)... ...	
Ensign Frederick Peere William Freeman (not arrived,)... ...	
Ensign Russell Morland Skinner,... ...	
Ensign Robert Wheeler, ...	8th December 1855
Ensign Thomas James Ritchie,...	
Ensign Robarts William Elton,... ...	
Ensign Francis David Millett Brown,....	
Ensign George Giles Rooke,	
Ensign William Vesy Fitzgerald Jacob,... ...	
Ensign Henry Morton, ...	20th Dec. 1855.
Ensign Alfred Abercromby Dick,	
Ensign Edward Trower Fitz Gerald,	

Medical Department.

Assistant Surgeon Henry Walter Bellew (not arrived,)...	14th Nov. 1855.
Assistant Surgeon David Boyes Smith, M. D., ...	28th Nov. 1855.
Assistant Surgeon John Boon Hayes, M. D., ...	10th Dec. 1855.

N. B.—Assistant Surgeon John Boon Hayes, M. D., not having sailed within the prescribed period, is, agreeably to Government General Order No. 314, of the 26th instant, to be struck out of List of Rank No. 5 of 1855.

No. 352 *of* 1856.—With reference to Genera Order No. 74, of the 11th January 1856, Ensign Thomas James Ritchie is to rank from the 8th December 1855, and will stand immediately below Mr. Robert Wheeler in List of Cadets No. 8 of 1855, the original standing assigned to him by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.

No. 353 *of* 1856.—With reference to General Order No. 271, dated 16th February 1856, Ensign Robert Eckford is to rank from the 20th December 1855, and will stand immediately below Mr. E. T. Fitzgerald, of List of Cadets No. 8 of 1855.

No. 354 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain and Brevet Major Thomas James to be Major, ...	From the 27th of February 1856, in succession to Major William Humphrey Lomer, retired.
Lieutenant George Noble Cave to be Captain of a Company,	
Ensign Thomas Gally Ross to be Lieutenant, ...	

No. 355 *of* 1856.—Major Thomas James, of the 21st Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to retire from the Service of the East India Company, on the Pension of his rank, from the 28th instant.

No. 356 *of* 1856.—The services of Lieutenant F. R. Butt, of the Regiment of Artillery, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 357 *of* 1856.—The services of Captain Sir George Parker, Bart., of the 74th Regiment Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces temporarily, so long as his Regiment may continue at Cawnpore.

No. 358 *of* 1856.—The Government General Order No. 304, of the 25th February 1856, by which Private John Wilkinson, of Her Majesty's 52nd Foot, was permitted to reside in India as an Out-pensioner of Chelsea Hospital, is cancelled at his own request.

No. 359 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence on Sick certificate :—

Brevet Major Richard Salisbury Simpson, of the 27th Regiment Native Infantry, Assistant Commissary General, (1st Class,)	For three years, under the old Regulations.
Captain Charles Wilbraham Ford, of the 42nd Regiment Light Infantry, Brigade Major, Barrackpore, ...	For fifteen months, under the new Regulations.

No. 360 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Charles Vincent Bowie to be Captain, ... Second Lieutenant Edward Lempriere Earle to be First Lieutenant, ...	From the 21st January 1856, in succession to Captain and Brevet Major William Kerby Warner, deceased.

No. 361 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is confirmed :—

"*No.* 27, *dated* 16*th February* 1856.—The Regimental Order by Captain Swinton, Commanding 2nd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, dated the 3rd instant, directing Lieutenant and Adjutant Adey to continue to act as Second in Command of the Corps, without prejudice to his appointment as Adjutant, consequent on the departure of Lieutenant Grant, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement."

No. 362 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Officer Commanding the Pegu Light Infantry Battalion, is confirmed :—

Dated 5th January 1856.—The Commissioner having made a requisition for the services of Ensign and Adjutant C. P. Hildebrand to officiate as Assistant Commissioner at Prome, Lieutenant Duval is appointed to act as Adjutant to the Battalion. Lieutenant Magrath will receive charge of the Adjutant's Office from Ensign Hildebrand, until the arrival of Lieutenant Duval from the out-post of "Mengdoon."

No. 363 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct, that the following Form of Savings' Bank Deposits and Withdrawals of European Soldiers shall be substituted for the Forms prescribed in the Rules promulgated by Government General Orders No. 302 of the 23rd May 1850 and No. 974 dated 25th November 1853 :—

Savings' Bank Return of the ____ *Regiment, for the month of* ____ 185 .

Regimental Number.	Rank and Name.	Company.	Last Month's Balance.			Deposited.			Withdrawn.			Balance on the		
			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
102	Serjeant,..... A.....	"	50	0	0	10	0	0	20	0	0	40	0	0
114	Private,..... B.....	"	100	0	0	10	0	0	20	0	0	90	0	0
105	Corporal,.... C.	"	100	0	0	10	0	0	20	0	0	90	0	0
305	Private,..... D.....	"	100	0	0	0	0	0	102	13	0	0	0	0
						30	0	0	162	13	0	Including Interest to the end of January.		

Credited in the Pay Office Account for the month of ____ *Pay Master.*

Debited in the Pay Office Account for the month of ____ *Pay Master.*

Commanding ____ *Regt.*

2nd in Command.

Adjutant.

No. 364 *of* 1856.—With reference to Government General Order No. 27, of the 5th January 1855, the Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to lay down the following Rules, which are to be applicable to the three Presidencies.

Every Assistant Surgeon shall ordinarily be required to serve two years in the Military branch before he is eligible for appointment to a Civil Station.

Every Surgeon shall be required to serve two years, in the Military branch, after his promotion to that rank, before he is eligible for appointment to the situation of Superintending Surgeon.

The following appointments held by Medical Officers are to be considered as appertaining to the Military branch :—

The Surgeon and Assistant Surgeons to the General Hospital at the Presidency.

The Apothecary to the East India Company.

Medical Store-keepers.

Garrison and Assistant Garrison Surgeons.

Secretary to the Medical Board.

No. 365 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions and alteration of rank :—

Engineers.

First Lieutenant Edward Fraser to be Captain, ... } In succession to Captain P. Garforth, resigned, with rank from the 6th February 1856, *vice* Captain George Hickson Fagan, retired.
Second Lieutenant Henry Goodwyn to be First Lieutenant, ...

Infantry.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Peter Ripley to be Lieutenant-Colonel, ... } In succession to Lieutenant-Colonel J. Ludlow, retired, with rank from the 5th December 1855, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel T. McSherry, C. B., promoted.

Left Wing 1*st European Bengal Fusiliers.*

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Ruthven Pond to be Major, ...

Right Wing 1*st European Bengal Fusiliers.*

First Lieutenant Edward Brown to be Captain of a Company, ... } In succession to Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel J. R. Pond, promoted, with rank from the 1st February 1856, *vice* Captain P. R. Innes, invalided.
Second Lieutenant Edwin Archibald Chester Lambert to be First Lieutenant, ...

21*st Regiment Native Infantry.*

Ensign Charles Edward Ashburner to be Lieutenant, from the 29th November 1855, *vice* Lieutenant Edward Archer Wilde, resigned.

Medical Department.

Assistant Surgeon Charles Harland to be Surgeon, *vice* Surgeon J. C. Smith, retired, with rank from the 10th February 1856, *vice* Surgeon J. Steel, M. D., retired.

ALTERATION OF RANK.

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To rank from	In whose room.
Infantry, - -	Lieut.-Col. J. Graham, - - -	9th Aug. 1854,	Lieut.-Col. J. Ludlow, retired.
50th N. I., - -	Major J. H. Hampton, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain B. E. Bacon, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. H. V. Mathias, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. H. Foquett, - - -	7th Nov. 1854,	Bt.-Col. H. F. Caley, promoted.
56th N. I., - -	Major W. R. Prout, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain F. V. R. Jervis, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. H. T. Raikes, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. T. W. Oldfield, (retired,)	11th Nov. 1854,	Bt.-Col. A. Spens, promoted.
74th N. I., - -	Major H. E. S. Abbott, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain J. W. B. Blagrave, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. J. D. Smith, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. G. B. Michell, - -	13th Nov. 1854,	Lieut.-Col. C. Campbell, retired.
2nd E. B. F., -	Major J. H. W. Mayow, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain W. Graham, (deceased,) -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. J. T. Harris, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. J. Ewart, - - -	14th Nov. 1854,	Bt.-Col. W. H. Wake, deceased.
55th N. I., - -	Major J. Butler, - - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain J. Allen, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. E. H. Woodcock, - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. W. St. L. Mitchell, -	28th Nov. 1854,	Bt.-Col. R. W. Wilson, C. B., promoted to Major General.
13th N. I., - -	Major G. F. Whitelocke, (retired,) -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain T. P. Waterman, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. A. Blunt, - - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. R. Garrett, - - -	28th Nov. 1854,	Bt.-Col. F. S. Hawkins, C. B., promoted to Major General.
69th N. I., - -	Major W. S. Menteath, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain J. Wedderburn, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. F. C. Kemp, (dismissed,) -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. J. H. Craigie, C. B., -	28th Nov. 1854,	Bt.-Col. N. Penny, C. B., promoted to Major General.
99th N. I., - -	Major T. Martin, - - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain R. W. Pilkington, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. W. Pattle, - - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. H. Boyd, - - -	28th Nov. 1854,	Bt.-Col. P. Grant, C. B., promoted to Major General.
15th N. I., - -	Major W. P. Robbins, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain C. St. G. Brownlow, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. J. A. Campbell, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. R. J. H. Birch, C. B., -	10th Dec. 1854,	Lieut.-Col. G. T. Marshall, deceased.
17th N. I., - -	Major J. C. Plowden, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain J. C. Fitzmaurice, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. J. Pontet, - - - -		

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To rank from	In whose room.
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. H. M. Graves, - -	13th Dec. 1854,	Lieut.-Col. R. Angelo, deceased.
16th N. I. (Grdrs.)	Major E. R. Mainwaring, - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain W. Graydon, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. R. H. Tulloh, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. C. S. Maling, - -	16th Dec. 1854,	Bt.-Col. R. Stewart, promoted.
68th N. I., - -	Major S. J. Grove, (retired,) - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain F. S. Miller, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. H. H. Christian, - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. J. Corfield, - - -	16th Jan. 1855,	Bt.-Col. H. Dick, promoted.
1st N. I., - - -	Major H. P. Burn, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain J. Ward, - - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. J. S. Bennett, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. W. Riddell, - - -	25th Feb. 1855,	Bt.-Col. E. Pettingal, promoted.
60th N. I., - -	Major R. Drought, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain J. C. Hay, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. C. C. Taylor, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. H. Spottiswoode, - -	13th Apl. 1855,	Bt.-Col. F. G. Lister, promoted.
21st N. I., - -	Major W. H. Lomer, (retired,) -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain H. T. Bartlett, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. F. J. Craigie, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. G. Tylee, - - -	24th Apl. 1855,	Lieut.-Col. A. Knyvett, retired.
53rd N. I., - -	Major J. Hunter, (retired,) - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain W. R. E. Alexander,- -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut O. S. Bridges, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. J. Liptrap, - - -	7th May 1855,	Bt.-Col. D. Downing, promoted.
42nd L. I., - -	Major T. Dalyell, - - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain C. W. Forde, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. J. E. D. Wilson, - - -		
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. J. C. Haslock, - -	4th June 1855,	Bt.-Col. A. Goldie, promoted.
39th N. I., - -	Major F. E. Voyle, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain J. L. Sherwill, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. W. A. Garden, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. B. C. Urquhart, - - -	26th Aug. 1855,	Lieut. F. G. Eden, deceased.
Infantry, - - -	Lieut.-Col. J. W. Hicks, - -	10th Nov. 1855,	Bt.-Col. W. M. N. Sturt, deceased.
67th N. I., - -	Major H. Cotton, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Captain F. C. Maisey, - - -		
Ditto, - - - -	Lieut. S. A. T. Judge, - - -		
Right Wing 1st E. B. Fusrs.,	Captain C. R. Wriford, - - -	5th Dec. 1855,	Capt. and Bt.-Lieut.-Col. J. R. Pond, promoted.
Ditto, - - - -	First Lieut. J. W. Daniell, - -		
Medl. Dept., - -	Surgeon D. J. O'Callaghan, - -	6th Dec. 1855,	Surgeon J. C. Smith, retired.
Ditto, - - - -	Surgeon R. H. Oakley, - - -	31st Jan. 1856,	Surgeon J. McCosh, M. D., retired.
Engineers, - -	Captain W. D. A. R. Short, - -	3rd Dec. 1855,	Capt. P. Garforth, resigned.
Ditto, - - - -	First Lieut. J. St. J. Hovenden, -		

No. 366 *of* 1866.—Family Pensioner Hussun Khan, formerly of Gardner's Ally Ghole, No. 321, Meerut and Haupper Circle, having been proved to have connived in frauds practised by certain Pensioners of that Circle, is struck off the Pension List from the date of last payment made to him.

No. 367 *of* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Lieutenant J. Duval, of the 50th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, doing duty with the Pegu Light Infantry Battalion, to act as Adjutant, *vice* Hildebrand, appointed to another situation.

No. 367 *A. of* 1856.—In modification of para. 3 of G. G. O. No. 511, of the 3rd October 1851, the Most Noble the Governor General in Council directs, that whenever Government Carts and Cattle may be employed to carry Stores from a Magazine to any Station, however distant, the package if serviceable shall be returned by the same conveyance, unless the Carts may be required to carry more valuable loads.

R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*

Secy. to the Govt. of India,

in the Mily. Dept.

General Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 1*st March* 1856.

No. 368 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble Charles John Viscount Canning having arrived, the Commission of Government from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors bearing date the 12th November 1855, appointing His Lordship to be Governor General of India, is read. The usual Oaths having been administered to the Right Hon'ble Charles

John Viscount Canning, His Lordship takes his Seat as Governor General of India under a Salute of Nineteen Guns from the Ramparts of Fort William. The separate Commission, appointing the Right Hon'ble Charles John Viscount Canning to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Fort and Garrison of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal and of the Town of Calcutta, is also read.

Ordered, that the following Proclamation be published at the usual places by the Sheriff of Calcutta :—

PROCLAMATION.

Whereas the Right Hon'ble Charles John Viscount Canning, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Hon'ble Privy Council, has been appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors of the East India Company to be Governor General of India and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Fort and Garrison of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal and of the Town of Calcutta, upon and from and after the death, resignation or coming away of the Marquis of Dalhousie; and whereas His Excellency General the Hon'ble George Anson, Commander-in-Chief of the Forces in India, has been appointed to be an Extraordinary Member of the Council of India, and Joseph Alexander Dorin, Esquire, Major General John Low, a Companion of the Most Hon'ble Military Order of the Bath, and John Peter Grant, Esquire, have been respectively appointed to be the First, Second and Third Ordinary Members of the said Supreme Council of India; and whereas the Hon'ble the Court of Directors have declared and confirmed Barnes Peacock, Esquire, to be and to continue the Fourth Ordinary Member of the said Council; and whereas the Most Noble the Marquis of Dalhousie, K. T., has this day resigned the Offices of Governor General of India and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Fort and Garrison of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal and of the Town of Calcutta, and the said Right Hon'ble Charles John Viscount Canning has assumed the said Offices: The above recited appointments are hereby notified; and it is further proclaimed that the said Charles John Viscount Canning, Governor General of India, has this day taken the usual Oaths and his Seat in the Supreme Council of India, and that General the Hon'ble George Anson, Joseph Alexander Dorin, Esquire, Major General John Low, C. B., John Peter Grant, Esquire, and Barnes Peacock, Esquire, have respectively taken their Seats in the said Council.

THE HON'BLE THE EAST INDIA COMPANY,

To all to whom these Presents shall come send Greeting.

KNOW ye that We the said Company reposing especial trust and confidence in the fidelity prudence justice and circumspection of the Right Hon'ble Charles John Viscount Canning a Member of Her Majesty's Most Hon'ble Privy Council have nominated made constituted and appointed and by these Presents do nominate make constitute and appoint the said Charles John Viscount Canning to be Governor General of India and of all and singular the Forts Factories Settlements Lands Territories Countries Places and Provinces in the East Indies which now are or shall from time to time be subject to or under Our Government and to execute all and every the Powers and Authorities committed continued or given to the Governor General of India by or under or in virtue of a certain Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session held in the 16th and 17th years of Her present Majesty entituled "An Act to provide for the Government of India" and by or under or in virtue of any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in force to take upon him hold and enjoy the said Office upon and from the death resignation or coming away of the Marquis of Dalhousie the present Governor General of India whichever of those events shall first happen and to continue in the exercise of the said Office during Our pleasure and until the contrary thereof shall be signified under Our Common Seal or under the hands of ten or more of our Court of Directors for the time being or in any Despatch from our said Court of Directors but subject nevertheless to such removal and dismissal as in the Act of Parliament made and passed in the 3rd and 4th years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth entitulted "An Act for effecting an arrangement with the East India Company and for the better Government of His Majesty's Indian Teritories till the 30th day of April 1854" is mentioned and We do hereby authorize empower and require the said Charles John Viscount Canning to execute and perform all and every the Powers and Authorities to the said Office of Governor General appertaining by and under the directions in writing of Our Court of Directors for the time being or any ten or more of them under their hands or in any Despatch from Our said Court of Directors and to the end that the said Charles John Viscount Canning may be better enabled to order and manage all Our affairs We do by these Presents declare and confirm General Sir William Maynard Gomm Knight Commander of the Most Hon'ble Military Order of the Bath, our Commander-in-Chief in India who is now an Extraordinary Member of the Council of India to be and continue an Extraordinary Member of the said Council and We do constitute and appoint Joseph Alexander Dorin Esquire Major General John Low a Companion of the Most Hon'ble Military Order of the Bath and John Peter Grant Esquire who have respectively been in Our Service for ten years to be respectively three of the Ordinary Members of the Council of India and We do further declare and confirm Barnes Peacock Esquire who is now Fourth Ordinary Member of the said Council to be and continue the Fourth Ordinary Member of the said Council and We do hereby give and grant unto Our said Governor General Charles John Viscount Canning and to Our Council afore-named the superintendence direction and control of the whole Civil and Military Government of all the said Territories and Revenues in India with full Power and Authority to superintend and control the Governors and Governors in Council respectively of all Our Presidencies in the East Indies in all points relating to the due administration of such Presidencies respectively and also with all such Powers and Authorities jointly severally and respectively and subject to all such restrictions and conditions as are given to them respectively or created by or under or by virtue of the Act of Parliament of Her present Majesty or any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in force and We do hereby order

and require all Our Servants Officers and Soldiers in the East Indies and all the People and Inhabitants of the Territories under Our Government and also all Our Governors and Councils at Our respective Presidencies in the East Indies to conform submit and yield due obedience unto the said Charles John Viscount Canning Our said Governor General and his said Council accordingly and We do declare that the said Joseph Alexander Dorin shall be the First Ordinary Member of Council and that the said Major General John Low shall be the Second Ordinary Member of Council and that the said John Peter Grant shall be the Third Ordinary Member of Council and that the said Barnes Peacock shall be the Fourth Ordinary Member of Council and We do hereby give and grant to the said Joseph Alexander Dorin Major General John Low John Peter Grant and Barnes Peacock respectively rank precedence and priority accordingly and We do further direct and declare that the said Barnes Peacock as long as he shall hold the Office of a Ordinary Member of the said Council of India shall always continue and be the Fourth and last Ordinary Member thereof. Given under Our Common Seal this Twelfth Day of November in the Nineteenth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lady Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and in the Year of Our Lord 1855.

By Order of the Court of Directors of the said Company,

(Signed) JAMES C. MELVILL,
Secretary.

L. S.

EAST INDIA HOUSE;
London,
The 3rd December 1855.

(A. True Copy)
(Signed) JAMES C. MELVILL.

THE HON'BLE THE EAST INDIA COMPANY

To

THE RIGHT HON'BLE CHARLES JOHN VISCOUNT CANNING, A MEMBER OF HER MAJESTY'S MOST HONORABLE PRIVY COUNCIL.

We the said Company reposing especial trust and confidence in you the said Charles John Viscount Canning do by these Presents constitute and appoint you to be Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Our Fort and Garrison of Our Presidency of Fort William in Bengal and of the Town of Calcutta and of all Forces which are now or hereafter shall be employed for Our Service within the said Fort Garrison and Town and you are to the utmost of your skill and power to do and perform all such Offices and Services as appertain to the post of Governor and Commander-in-Chief as aforesaid and to hold and to take the said Office unto and upon you upon and from and after the death resignation or coming away of the Marquis of Dalhousie the present Governor General of India whichever of those events shall first happen and to continue in the exercise of the same during Our pleasure subject nevertheless to all such rules orders and instructions as have heretofore been given to the Governer and Commander-in-Chief of Our said Fort and Garrison or of Our said Fort Garrison and Town and as are now in force and also such other Orders as you shall at any time hereafter receive in writing from Our said Court of Directors under the hands of ten or more of them or in any Despatch from Our said Court of Directors or from the Governor General of India in Council but subject to such removal and dismissal as is mentioned in an Act made and passed in the Session held in the 3rd and 4th years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth entituled "An Act for effecting an arrangement with the East India Company and for the better Government of His Majesty's Indian Territories till the 30th day of April 1854" and We do hereby strictly require charge and command all Commissioned Officers Non-Commissioned Officers Soldiers and others belonging to our Military Forces and all the People and Inhabitants employed or residing in the said Fort Garrison and Town to yield you as Governor and Commander-in-Chief as aforesaid due obedience accordingly. Given under Our Common Seal this Twelfth Day of November in the Nineteenth Year of the Reign of OurSovereign Lady Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and so forth and in the Year of Our Lord 1855.

By Order of the Court of Directors of the said Company,

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(Signed) JAMES C. MELVILL,
Secretary.

EAST INDIA HOUSE;
London,
The 3rd December 1855.

(A True Copy)
(Signed) JAMES C. MELVILL.

Ordered, that the Proclamation and Commissions above-mentioned be read at the head of the Troops of the Garrison of Fort William under a Salute of Nineteen Guns and three vollies of small arms.

Ordered also, that the Proclamation be read at the head of the Troops in the different Garrisons and at all the principal Military Stations under a Salute of Nineteen Guns.

No. 369 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Home Department, are published in General Orders :—

No. 301, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—Surgeon W. B. O'Shaughnessy, Superintendent of Electric Telegraphs in India, is permitted to proceed to Europe on duty, and to be absent from India on that account for one year.

No. 319, *dated* 1*st March* 1856.—The Governor General notifies the following appointments :—

The Hon'ble H. B. Devereux to officiate as Private Secretary.

Captain F. D. Atkinson, 2nd European Bengal Fusiliers, to officiate as Military Secretary.

Surgeon T. Leckie, M. D., to be Surgeon to the Governor General.

The following Gentlemen have been appointed Aides-de-Camp to the Governor General :—

Major P. A. Bouverie, 35th Native Infantry.

Captain E. Bowles, Her Majesty's 60th Rifles.

No. 370 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Foreign Department, are published in General Orders :—

No. 1203, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—Major C. Davidson, Resident at Baroda, assumed charge of the Residency from the Officiating Assistant, Lieutenant L. C. Barton, on the 15th instant.

No. 1205, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—Major A. Fytche, Deputy Commissioner of Bassein, made over charge of the current duties of his Office to Mr. T. J. Fallon, Extra Assistant Commissioner, on the 26th ultimo, and not on the 9th idem, as stated in General Order dated 15th instant, No. 925.

No. 371 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Public Works Department, are published in General Orders :—

No. 39, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant to Lieutenant G. T. Chesney, Officiating District Engineer of Peshawur, two months' leave of absence, on urgent private affairs, to have retrospective effect from the 24th January 1855.

No. 44, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—The appointment of Lieutenant C. H. E. Græme, of the 5th Regiment Bengal Native Infantry, to the Department of Public Works, notified on the 5th January last, is to have effect from the 27th November 1855, the date on which he joined the Department as an Officiating Executive Officer, and assumed charge of the Setabuldee or Nagpore Division.

No. 372 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, is published in General Orders :—

Appointment.—The 18*th February* 1856.—Surgeon J. McRae to be Principal of the Calcutta Medical College, also Professor of Medicine in that Institution, and *Ex-officio* First Physician of the College Hospital."

No. 373 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, is published in General Orders :—

No. 1326, *dated* 23*rd February* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon James King Walter to be Civil Assistant Surgeon of Benares, with retrospective effect from the 12th instant.

Fort William, 4th March 1856.

No. 374 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers have returned to their duty on this Establishment, without prejudice to their rank, by permission of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors :—

	Date of Arrival at Bombay.
Captain Robert Henry David Tulloh, of the 39th Regiment Native Infantry, ...	22nd Feb. 1856.
Captain Arthur Henry Cole Sewell, of the 47th Regiment Native Infantry, (on Civil employ,)	
Assistant Surgeon David Henry Small, attached to the Mhairwarrah Battalion, ...	

No. 375 *of* 1856.—The services of the undermentioned Warrant Officer are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department :—

Apothecary T. Nulty, of the 5th Punjaub Infantry.

R. J. H. Birch, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Notification.

No. 17.

Anandram Dhekial Phookan, Sub-Assistant Commissioner of Nowgong, Assam, received charge of the Treasury of that District on the 21st ultimo

G. G. Mackintosh,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William ;
Office of Acct. to the Govt. of Bengal,
The 4*th March* 1856.

Government Notification.

THE following Notice is published for general information :—

By order,
ROBERT CHURCH,
Secy. to the Governor.

Singapore, 12*th October* 1855.

RAFFLES LIGHT HOUSE.

ON and after the 1st of November 1855, a fixed bright Dioptric Light of the third order will be exhibited from sun-set to sun-rise on the Islet called the "Coney" near Barn Island, at the Western entrance of the Straits of Singapore, situated according to the Admiralty Charts, in Latitude 1° 8′ 15″ North and Longitude 103° 45′ 20″ East.

The height of the centre of the Light from high water mark is 105 feet.

The Light will be visible from the decks of vessels at a distance of about 12 nautical miles.

The Light will illuminate about 233 degrees of the horizon, *viz.*, from Saint John's Island, proceeding Southerly to the North-westward near the Sultan Shoal.

Vessels losing the Light when to the Eastward or Westward will thereby be warned of the dangers respectively of Middle Island or of the Sultan Shoal, as laid down in Chart of the Straits of Singapore by Messrs. Congalton and Thomson, corrected up to 1855.

(Signed) J. RUSSELL,
Master Attendant.

Notification.

THE following Estimate of Cash, expected to be available at the under-mentioned Treasuries on the dates and to the extent mentioned, is published for general information. Bills at par and at sight may be had at the General Treasury, payable on those dates, or before, as funds become available ; and to prevent disappointment from the clearing out of Treasuries, parties requiring Bills are requested to communicate with the Accountant, Government of Bengal, at their early convenience.

Bills upon the Treasuries marked (*) may be obtained from the Collectors of Dacca, Moorshedabad, or Patna, to the extent available at the time of application.

This Estimate is published only as a guide to parties interested. The amounts available at the several Treasuries on intermediate dates will be notified as usual in the weekly lists.

Bills available.

Bograh,*	to	1st November,	80,000
		15th January,	1,00,000
		1st April,	70,000
		1st July,	30,000
Bullooah,*	to	1st November,	2,00,000
		15th January,	2,50,000
		1st April,	2,50,000
		1st July,	2,00,000
Tipperah,*	to	10th November,	2,50,000
		15th January,	3,50,000
		1st April,	2,00,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Mymensingh,*		10th November,	1,50,000
		15th January,	2,30,000
		1st April,	1,90,000
		1st July,	60,000
Sylhet,*		20th January,	1,00,000
		1st May,	1,00,000
Pubna,*		1st November,	1,00,000
		15th January,	1,00,000
		1st April,	80,000
Rungpore,*		1st November,	1,80,0000
		15th January,	2,70,000
		1st April,	3,50,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Dinagepore,		1st November,	25,000
		15th January,	4,50,000
		1st April,	5,50,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Nuddeeah,		1st November,	2,00,000
		15th January,	80,000
		1st April,	20,000
Jessore,		1st November,	3,00,000
		15th January,	3,00,000
		1st April,	3,00,000
Purneeah,		1st November,	1,00,000
		15th January,	3,00,000
		1st April,	4,00,000

EDMUND DRUMMOND,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 9th October 1855.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Wednesday the 5th and Thursday the 6th proximo, on account of the Hindoo Holidays, Seebo Rattree.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

GENERAL TREASURY,
The 22*nd February* 1856.

Opium Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Third Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1854-55, will be held at the Exchange Hall, on Monday, the 10th March 1856, at 11 A. M., and will comprise 3,460 Chests, *viz.* :—

Behar Opium,	2,440
Benares Ditto,	1,020
Total Chests,	3,460

2nd. The general Conditions of the Sale now advertized will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 11th December 1855, and published in the *Calcutta* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for Deposit and Clearance will be the 15th and 25th March 1856, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, Company's Paper, or other Public Securities, that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale, will be received after 4 P. M. of Saturday, the 15th March 1856, and no Treasury Receipts, in full payment of Lots, will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Tuesday, the 25th March 1856.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertized for Sale, the following quantities,* more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium, will be brought to Sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below; the Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

	Chests.
* Behar Opium of 1854-55,	21,498
Benares do. of do.,	9,170
Behar do. of 1853-54, (re-manufactured,) ..	460
Chests, ...	31,128

	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 14th April 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Friday, 9th May 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 9th June 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Thursday, 10th July 1856, ...	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 11th August 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Wednesday, 10th September 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Friday, 10th October 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 10th November 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 8th December 1856, ..	2,438	1,010	3,448
Total, ..	21,958	9,170	31,128

By Order of the Board of Revenue,

E. T. TREVOR,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM,
20th February 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, three-quarters of a second (¾s.) after Mean Noon.

Fort William,
27th February 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, three-quarters of a second (¾s.) after Mean Noon.

Fort William,
28th February 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, half a second (½s.) before Mean Noon.

Fort William,
1st March 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, one second (1s.) before Mean Noon.

C. S. REID, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major.

Fort William,
3rd March. 1856.

Sheriff's Sale; Calcutta, 5th March 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday, the Twenty-seventh day of March instant, at the hour of 12 o'Clock, the Sheriff of Calcutta will put up to Public Sale, at the Court House, by Virtue of a Writ of *Fieri Facias* in his hands against the Effects of Brijrutton Doss—

The right, title and interest of the said Brijrutton Doss, of, in, and to the following landed property, *viz.*

1. An upper-roomed brick-built house at Benares, in Nundun Doss' Mohulla, with a piece of land belonging thereto.

2. Also an upper-roomed stone and brick-built house, in Gopaul Doss' Mohulla, at Benares aforesaid.

3. Also a three-storied stone and brick-built house in Gopaul Doss' Mohulla, in Benares aforesaid.

4. Also a five-storied stone and brick-built house, in Gopaul Doss' Mohulla, in Benares aforesaid.

5. Also a lower-roomed house, in Gopaul Doss' Mohulla, in Benares aforesaid, with a piece of land thereunto belonging.

6. Also a three-storied stone and brick-built house, in Gopaul Doss' Mohulla, in Benares aforesaid.

7. Also a three-storied stone and brick-built house, in Gopaul Doss' Mohulla, in Benares aforesaid.

8. Also a three-storied stone and brick-built house, in Gopaul Doss' Mohulla, in Benares aforesaid.

9. Also a Garden at Sicrour, in Mouzah Kedgree, in the suburbs of the City of Benares.

10. And also a Chuck or Bazar, in Burra Bazar, in Calcutta, with three-storied house.

The Conditions of Sale and further particulars may be had by applying at the Sheriff's Office.

J. H. FURGUSSON,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale; Calcutta, 5th March 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday, the Twenty-seventh day of March instant, at the hour of 12 o'Clock the Sheriff of Calcutta will put up to Public Sale, at the Court House, by Virtue of a Writ of *Venditioni Exponas* in his hands against the Effect of Puddolochun Dutt—

The right, title and interest of the said Puddoolochun Dutt, of, in, and to the following landed property, *viz.*

1. An upper-roomed brick-built family dwelling-house, consisting of two mohauls, with a piece of land thereunto belonging, containing by estimation six cottahs, more or less, situate at Pallassee, in Pergunnah Burdwan, and in the Zillah of Burdwan.

2. Also a lower-roomed brick-built bytuckhannah house, and thatched houses, with a piece of land thereunto belonging, containing by estimation sixteen cottahs, more or less, situate at the same place.

3. Also a tank, with a piece of land thereunto belonging, containing by estimation five biggahs, more or less, situate at the same place.

4. And also a piece of garden ground, with several trees growing thereon, containing by estimation two biggahs, more or less, situate at the same place.

The Conditions of Sale and further particulars may be known by applying at the Sheriff's Office.

J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

RECEIVER'S OFFICE.

Aushootosh Day, &c., *versus* Rajcoomary Dossee &c., } NOTICE is hereby given, that on Monday, the 10th day of March, 1856, at one o'clock in the afternoon, Charles Swinton Hogg, Esquire, the Receiver of the Supreme Court, will put up at his Office, for Lease, the following Zemindaries, &c., belonging to the Estate of Kistwonondo, Biswas, deceased, upon such terms and conditions, and upon such security as he may think fit; that is to say :—

In 24-Pergunnahs, within the District of the Joint Magistrate of Baraset.

The following Dhees and Mouzahs of eight annas' share of Pergunnah Aunorpore, No. 146, *viz.* :—

Dhee Baloorea, Dhee Kootulsahe, Dhee Kistopore, Dhee Kallikapore, Dhee Bocondo, Dhee Basdebpore, Dhee Bodye, Dhee Chore Kharah, Dhee Barooa and Dhee Sahayrah; and Mouzahs, Tol Dhathea, Panybarrah Bayhary, and Bonomallypore, with Katchary Bauteis, Hauts, Bazars, Sawyers' Ghauts, Tanks, Gardens, Shops, Factories, (Save Modo Morrally Factory,) and all other profits and appertenances to the said eight annas' share of the said Dhees and Mouzahs.

Debotra resumed permanently-settled Mehal, called Kismut Madhubpore, &c., No. 1178, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Factories, &c., &c., as stated above.

An Indigo Factory, called Moddoo Morrary Factory, situate in Pergunnah Aunorpore, in the Zillah of the 24-Pergunnahs, with a Tank attached to it.

In 24-Pergunnahs, within the District of the Magistrate of 24-Pergunnahs.

The following Turuffs, Mouzah and Kismut, of the eight annas' share of Mohel Modrosa, No. 145, *viz.* :—

Turuffs Jangra, Panchooria, Haltoo, Kodalia, and Hautgatcha, Mouzah Bone Hooghly, and Kismut Khordah, with Katchary Bauties, Bazars Hauts, &c., &c., as stated above.

The following Turuffs, Mouzah and Kismut, of the Zemindaries No. 147, of eight annas' share of Bawotah, known by the name of Sree Bautie, in Pergunnah Calcutta, *viz.*, Turuffs Byrampore, Mowsool and Rogoonothpore, and Mouzah Doorgabatty, and Kismut Kherdah, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Garden, &c., &c., as stated above.

The following Turuffs, Mouzahs, and Kismuts of the Zemindaries No. 169, called Hautiarah, *viz.* Turuffs Neez Hautiarah, and Khorumba, and Mouzahs Borakhollah Anharampore, Gantee, and Rygatchee, &c., and Kismuts Santgatchee, Donorot, and Chapna, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, Gardens, &c. &c., as stated above.

Within Sawhabaw Bangeecha, Turuff Polta, &c., permanently-settled Mohal No. 1., with Hauts, Bazars, Garden, &c. &c., as stated above.

Two Lease-hold Mohels No. 1072 and 1074, called Chondy Barry, and Taj Gharry, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, &c., as stated above.

One fifth of one anna and three pies share of the Zemindary of late Gocool Chunder Gossain, No. 217, called Kismut Khardah, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, &., as stated above.

For further particulars apply at the Receiver's Office, Supreme Court.

W. MACPHERSON,
Master.

Receiver's Office, Court House, The 21st February 1856.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Arrathoon Nicholas, late of Bow Bazar, a River Trader, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of arch instant, it was ordered that the hearing in this matter should stand adjourned until Saturday, the 8th day of March instant, and that the said Insolvent should then be brought up to be examined by the said Court.

* Insolvent in person.

In the matter of Alexander Hamilton Earle Durnford, of No. 7, South Collingah Street, in Calcutta, Head Master in the Hindoo College School, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the hearing in this matter should stand adjourned uutil Saturday, the 8th day of March instant, and that the Order made in this matter for the *ad interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest should be enlarged to the said 8th day of March instant, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Lyons and Bell, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 4th March 1856.

nthly Account of Salt in Store in the several Agencies and the Sulkea Golahs up to 29th February 1856, together with 4 per cent. Reserve for Golah Wastage.

AGENCIES.	1257 or 1850-51, and previous years.	1258 or 1851-52.	1259 or 1852-53.	1260 or 1853-54.	1261 or 1854-55.	1262 or 1855-56.	Total Quantity in Store.
	Mds. S. C.	Mds. S. C.	Mds. S. C.	Mds. S. C.	Mds. S. C.	Mds. S. C.	Mds. S. C.
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do., Ramnugur,	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	3516 0 0	0 0 0	3516 0 0
do., North Kaleenugur,	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	178 1 12	0 0 0	178 1 12
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to, Arracan ditto,	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
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do., Russoolpore,	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
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do., Diamond Har-bour,	1922 20 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	1922 20 0
do., Saugor,	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
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Total,	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	89455 2 0	20208 20 0	109663 22 0
Grand Total,	252689 12 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	159057 6 12	638173 20 11	444938 29 6	1494858 28 13

BOARD OF REVENUE; *Fort William, The 4th March* 1856.

E. T. TREVOR, *Offg. Junior Secretary.*

Bank of Bengal.

1st March 1856.

A Meeting of the Proprietors is requested at the Bank on Saturday, the 15th instant, at 10 A. M., for the election of a Director in the room of John Deffell, Esq., resigned.

The Poll will close at 3 P. M.

Published by order of the Directors,

J. B. Plumb,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Agra and United Service Bank.

The Government of India having, by Notification of 25th January 1855, signified its intention to dissolve its existing connexion with the Government Agency, the Agra and United Service Bank will, on being furnished with the necessary powers, receive charge of Government Paper and Bank Shares from the Agent, and realize the Interest when due and Dividends when declared. The Bank will also sell or invest in these Securities for Constituents.

Forms of Letters and Powers of Attorney may be obtained on application to the Bank at Calcutta, or its Branches at Agra and Lahore.

When the proceeds of Government Paper or Shares sold, or of Interest and Dividends realized, are remitted by the Bank's Drafts on England, or on its Indian Branches, no Commission will be charged.

If otherwise paid, or when the Paper or Shares are delivered over, the charge for Commission will be ¼ per cent.

Hours of Business.

From and after Wednesday, the 1st August from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when the Bank will be closed at 1 P. M.

Francis R. Neilson,

Secretary.

No. 2, Council-House Street,
Calcutta, 30th January 1855.

Commercial Bank of India—Bombay.

Notice is hereby given, that Mr. William Shelford Fitzwilliam has been appointed Agent for the Calcutta Branch of the Commercial Bank of India,—Bombay.

By order of the Directors,

Edgar Corrie,

Manager.

Caution.

Whereas Shumsoon Nessa Begum, the only surviving daughter and child of Moonshee Hossain Ally, and the Niccatty wife of Moonshee Buzlool Rohim, of Sealdah, the younger son of Moonshee Ameer, having left her husband's protection, and her seal being detained by her said husband, the Public are hereby cautioned from purchasing from her said husband, or from any other person or persons, any Company's Paper or other property of the said Shumsoon Nessa Begum, and that no mark or seal which may be affixed to such Papers or Documents as her mark or seal shall be admissible without bearing the attestation of her constituted Attorney, Mr. Arratoon Carapiet, or being signed and endorsed by him as such her Attorney.

J. Templeton.

اشتهار براي هوشياري

چون مسماة شمس النسا بيگم كه صرف دختري منشي حسن علي است وجوزهٔ منكوحهٔ منشي بضل الرحيم پسر خورد منشي امير مرحوم ساكن سيالدهٔ حفاظت وپناهٔ شوهر خود ترك گرديده است و چون مهر شمس النسا بيگم مذكوره بدست شوهرش است بنابران اشتهار هذا براي آگاهي و هوشياري برخاص وعام دادهٔ مي شود كه كسي كاغذ كمپني ياجايداد ديگر بيگم مذكوره خريد نكنيد زيراچه كاغذات كمپني يا دلايل ديگر يا مهر و نشان دستخط شمس النسا بيگم مذكوره بغير دستخط مستر آرتن كرابيت صاحب كه مختار شمس النسا بيگم مذكوره اند اگر خريد كنند تا همچنان كاغذ كمپني ودلايل ديگر ناقص و باطل خواهد شد فقط

جي تيمپلي تون

সাবধানের বিজ্ঞাপন।

যেহেতুক সমসুন্নেশা বেগম যিনি মুন্সি হোঁসেনআলির কেবল এক জীবিত কন্যা মাত্র এবং যাঁহার নিকা সেয়ালদহ নিবাসি মুন্সি আমিরের কনিষ্ঠ পুত্র শ্রীযুত বজলল রহিমের সহিত হইয়াছিল তিনি আপন স্বামির আশ্রয় পরিত্যাগ করিয়া গিয়াছেন এবং যেহেতু তাহার মোহর উক্ত স্বামি আটক করিয়া রাখিয়াছেন অতএব সর্ব্ব সাধারণকে এতদ্দ্বারা সাবধান করা যাইতেছে যে উক্ত সমসুন্নেশা বেগমের উক্ত স্বামির নিকট হইতে অথবা অন্য কোন ব্যক্তির নিকট হইতে উক্ত সমসুন্নেশা বেগমের কোন কোম্পানির কাগজ অথবা অন্য কোন জায়দাদ খরিদ না করেন কারণ উক্ত সমসুন্নেশা বেগমের মোক্তার মেষ্টর আরাটুন কেরাপিয়ট্ সাহেবের দস্তখত ব্যতিরেক কোন নিশানি সহি অথবা মোহর যাহা উক্ত কোম্পানির কাগজে কি অন্য কোন দলিলাদিতে করা যাইবেক তাহা গ্রাহ্য হইবেক না ইতি।

জে, টেম্পিল্টান।

Notice.

THE Partnership heretofore existing, and carried on, under the style or firm of STEWART AND CALROW, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstandings will be settled by WM. C. STEWART.

WM. C. STEWART.
R. F. CALROW,
By his Attorney,
WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
31st December 1855.

THE undersigned will continue the business as heretofore under the firm of WM. C. STEWART & Co.

WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
1st January 1856.

Notice.

THE Interest and Responsibility of DR. DAVID BEGG in our Firm ceased on the 29th ultimo, and MR. HUGH MACKINTOSH is this day admitted a Partner.

BATHGATE AND CO.

Calcutta,
1st March 1856.

Notice.

THE undersigned have this day established themselves as Merchants and General Agents in Calcutta, under the style and firm of Begg, Dunlop and Co.

DAVID BEGG.
HENRY CHRISTIE.
ROBERT DUNLOP.

1st March 1856.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Money Singh, late Gomashta of the Firm of Lutchmeenarain and Pursotumnarain, of Burtollah Street, Burra Bazar, has been discharged from the said Firm from the 26th of February 1856.

LUTCHMEENARAIN AND PURSOTUMNARAIN.

Calcutta, the 4th March 1856.

Caution.

A POCKET BOOK having been stolen from our Office containing Bills of Exchange, Notice is hereby given, that payment has been stopped, and Bankers and the Public are cautioned against taking *them*. The Bills are drawn by the London, Agent of the North-West Bank of India at 60 days sight in our favor and accepted payable on the 26th instant by the North-West Bank here.

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„ 136,	„	„	10,000
„ 137,	„	„	5,000
			25,000

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Post Office Notifications.

No. 1159.

OVERLAND MAIL.

THE Overland Mail, *viâ* Marseilles and Southampton, and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon and Aden, per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Nubia*, will be closed at this Office, on Saturday, the 8th proximo.

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With regard to Newspapers and Prices Current the following Abstract of Rules relating to British Postage, chargeable under a Treasury Warrant of 30th June 1855, is published for general information :—

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C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM ;
General Post Office,
The 26th February 1856.

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C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

CALCUTTA;
General Post Office,
The 4th March 1856.

No. 1169.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mails for Chittgong and Akyab, for transmission per H. C. Steamer *Hugh Lindsay*, will be closed at this Office on Saturday, the 8th proximo.

FORT WILLIAM ;
General Post Office,
The 29th February 1856.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

No. 1195.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per H. C. Steamer *Tenasserim*, will be closed at this Office on Thursday, the 6th instant.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM ;
General Post Office,
The 3rd March 1856.

Notice.

UNDER instructions from the Government of India, the Director General of the Post Office in India has the honor to request, that all Public Officers who may have occasion during the rains to dispatch Books on the Public Service will send them by the ordinary Banghy Post packed in tin, and not by "Book Post" in short paper covers open at both ends.

H. B. RIDDELL,
Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, the 4th March 1856.

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No. 342.

Notification.

FORT WILLIAM, HOME DEPARTMENT,

THE 4TH MARCH 1856.

THE Right Hon'ble the Governor General requests the attendance of all the Civil and Military Servants of the Government, on Thursday, the 6th instant, at 5 o'Clock P. M., at Government House on the occasion of the departure of the MARQUIS OF DALHOUSIE, K. T., who will embark with his suite on that day, on the H. C. S. Frigate *Feroze* from Prinsep's Ghât, on his return to England,

By Order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General,

CECIL BEADON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 343.

The following Garrison Order is published for general information :—

GARRISON ORDER BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR.

FORT WILLIAM, THE 4TH MARCH 1856.

THE whole of the Garrison and General Staff, as well as other Officers on duty at the Presidency, are directed to be in attendance at Government House, on Thursday, the 6th instant, at 5 o'Clock P. M., the day and hour fixed for the departure of the MARQUIS OF DALHOUSIE, K. T.

C. S. REID, *Lieut.-Colonel,*

Officiating Town Major.

By Order of the Governor General,

CECIL BEADON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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Notifications.

THE 14TH MAY 1853.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, from the 1st July next, Public Officers employed under this Government are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of the Government Work from and after that date.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE 2ND FEBRUARY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, all Public Officers under the Government of India at the Presidency are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of Government Work.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

SATURDAY, MARCH 8, 1856.

Legislative Council.

The 29th February 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Most Noble the Governor General on the 28th February 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. VI OF 1856.

An Act for granting exclusive privileges to Inventors.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient, for the encouragement of Inventors of new manufactures, that certain exclusive privileges in their inventions should be granted to them in India; It is enacted as follows :—

Inventor may petition for leave to file specification.

I. The inventor of any new manufacture may petition the Governor General of India in Council for leave to file a specification thereof. Every such petition shall be in writing in the form or to the effect mentioned in the Schedule hereunto annexed, and shall be signed by the petitioner, or, in case the petitioner shall be absent from India, by an authorized agent, and shall state the name, addition, and place of residence of the petitioner, and the nature of the invention.

Form, &c., of petition.

Order to file specification.

II. Upon such petition, the Governor General of India in Council may make an order authorizing the petitioner to file a specification of the invention.

Power to refer petition for enquiry and report.

III. Before making such order, the Governor General of India in Council may refer the petition to any person or persons for enquiry and report, and such person or persons shall be entitled to a reasonable fee for such enquiry and report to be paid by the petitioner; the amount of such fee, in case of dispute, to be settled by a Judge of one of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature in a summary manner.

Petitioner entitled to exclusive privilege for 14 years from the time of filing specification.

IV. If, within the space of six calendar months from the date of such order, the petitioner cause a specification of his invention to be filed in manner hereinafter mentioned, the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall be entitled to the sole and exclusive privilege of making, selling, and using the said invention in India, and of authorizing others so to do for the term of 14 years from the time of filing such specification and for such further term, if any, not exceeding 14 years from the expiration of the first 14 years, as the Governor General of India in Council may think fit to direct, upon petition to be presented by such inventor, at any period not more than one year, and not less than six calendar months, before the expiration of the exclusive privilege hereby granted.

Extension of term of exclusive privilege.

Order to file specification may be made subject to condition.

V. An order authorizing the filing of a specification, or for extending the term of such exclusive privilege as aforesaid, may be made subject to any such conditions and restrictions as the Governor General of India in Council may think expedient.

Specification to be in writing and to describe the invention.

VI. Every specification of an invention filed under this Act, shall be in writing, and shall be signed by the petitioner, and shall particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the said invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

Petition and specification to be left with Secretary to Government.

VII. Every petition for leave to file a specification and every specification filed under this Act shall be left with the Secretary to the Government of

India in the Home Department, and every petition and specification shall be accompanied by a declaration in writing signed by the petitioner in the form or to the effect mentioned in the Schedule hereunto annexed, marked A and B respectively; and if the inventor be absent from India, the petition and specification shall also be accompanied by a declaration signed by the agent who shall present or file the same, to the effect that he verily believes that the declaration purporting to be the declaration of the inventor, was signed by him, and that the contents thereof are true, which declaration shall be in the form hereunto annexed, marked C. The date of the delivery of every such petition and specification shall be endorsed on the same respectively and shall also be recorded at the office of the said Secretary.

Petition, &c. to be accompanied by declaration.

Date of delivery to be endorsed on petition

VIII. If any person, who shall make a declaration under this Act, shall wilfully and corruptly make any false statement therein, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and shall be proceeded against and upon conviction punished accordingly.

False statement in declaration punishable as perjury.

IX. No specification shall be filed until the petitioner shall have paid all fees payable under this Act, including the fees, if any, of the person or persons to whom the petition shall have been referred for inquiry and report.

Specification not to be filed before payment of fees.

X. At the time of delivering the specification for the purpose of being filed, the petitioner shall cause to be delivered to the said Secretary five copies thereof, of which

Copies of specification to be delivered and distributed.

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Bengal,

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Fort St. George,

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of Bombay, and

One shall be sent to and filed by one of the Secretaries to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

A copy of such specification shall be open at all reasonable times at the office of each of the said Secretaries to public inspection upon payment of a fee of one rupee.

To be open to inspection.

XI. A book shall be kept in the office of the said Secretary to the Government of India wherein shall be entered and recorded every such petition and specification and every order made upon such petition or relating to the invention therein mentioned. Every specification shall be numbered according to the order in which it is entered in such book; and a reference shall be made in such book, in the margin of the entry of each specification, to every order relating to the invention.

Book for the registry of petitions, specifications, &c.

XII. Such book, or a copy thereof, shall be open at all convenient times for the inspection of any person upon payment of a fee of one rupee; and the said Secretary shall cause a copy of any entry therein, certified under his hand, to be given to any person requiring the same, on payment of the expense of copying.

Inspection of registry book.

Certified copy of entry to be given.

XIII. Every such certified copy shall be *primâ facie* evidence of the document of which it purports to be a copy.

Certified copy to be *primâ facie* evidence.

XIV. No person shall be entitled to any exclusive privilege under the provisions of this Act—

No person entitled to exclusive privilege in any of the following cases.

If the invention, at the time of presenting the petition for leave to file the specification, was not a new invention,

If invention not new,

If the petitioner is not the inventor thereof, or

If petitioner is not inventor, or

If the specification filed does not particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

If specification does not describe the invention.

XV. Every exclusive privilege under this Act shall cease if the Governor General of India in Council shall declare that the same, or the mode in which it is exercised, is mischievous to the State, or generally prejudicial to the public; or if a breach of any special condition on which the petitioner shall be authorized to file a specification, or upon which the term of the exclusive privilege shall be extended, shall be proved to the satisfaction of any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature, and if the Governor General of India shall thereupon declare that such exclusive privilege shall cease.

Exclusive privilege to cease if Government declare it mischievous, &c. to public.

Or if Government, upon breach of condition proved, declare that it shall cease.

XVI. The importer into India of a new invention shall be deemed an inventor within the meaning of this Act. Provided that the exclusive privilege under this Act shall cease unless he or his executors, administrators, or assigns shall, within two years from the date of the petition, put his invention into practice in India, and shall either continue to use the same or grant licenses upon reasonable terms to such persons as shall be willing to put the same into practice.

Importer of invention to be deemed an inventor.

His privilege to cease unless invention be put into practice in India within two years.

XVII. A foreigner, whether resident abroad or not, may petition for leave to file a specification under this Act.

Foreign inventor.

XVIII. An invention shall be deemed a new invention within the meaning of this Act, if it shall not, before the time of applying for leave to file the specification, have been publicly used in India or been made publicly known there by means of a printed publication. The public use or knowledge of an invention prior to the application for leave to file a specification, shall not be deemed a public use or knowledge within the meaning of this Section if the knowledge shall have been obtained surreptitiously or in fraud of the actual inventor or shall have been communicated to the public in fraud of the actual inventor

An invention not publicly used or known in India before the application for leave to file a specification, to be deemed a new invention within this Act.

Knowledge of invention fraudulently acquired.

or in breach of confidence. Provided the inventor shall, within six calendar months after the commencement of such public use, apply for leave to file his specification and shall not previously have acquiesced in such public use. Provided also, that the use of an invention in public by the actual inventor thereof, or by his servants or agents, or by any other person by his license in writing, shall not be deemed a public use thereof within the meaning of this Act.

Proviso.

Public use by actual inventor.

XIX. If an actual inventor who, prior to the time of applying for leave to file a specification of an invention under this Act, shall have obtained Her Majesty's Letters Patent for the exclusive use of such invention, in any part of the United Kingdom, shall, within twelve calendar months from the passing of this Act, or within six calendar months from the date of such Letters Patent, petition the Governor General of India in Council for leave to file a specification of such invention, the invention shall be deemed a new invention within the meaning of this Act, if it was not publicly known or used in India at the date of the petition for such Letters Patent, notwithstanding it may have been publicly known or used in India before the time of his petitioning, under this Act, for leave to file the specification; and if the actual inventor shall obtain an exclusive privilege under this Act, in respect of such invention, any exclusive privilege previously obtained by an importer of such invention shall thereupon cease. Provided the petition for leave to file the specification shall state that such Letters Patent have been granted, and shall also state the date thereof and the term during which the same are to continue in force.

Actual inventor having obtained English Letters Patent to petition within 12 months from the passing of this Act, or within 6 months from the date of the Letters Patent.

Invention, if not publicly known or used in India at the time of applying for such Letters Patent, to be deemed new.

If actual inventor obtain an exclusive privilege, any privilege obtained by an importer shall cease.

What to be stated in such petition.

XX. No exclusive privilege obtained under this Act shall entitle the owner of such privilege to exclude any person from using the invention, who, prior to the 7th day of July 1855, used the same in India.

Saving of rights of persons who used invention before 7th of July 1855.

XXI. An action may be maintained by an inventor against any person who, during the continuance of any exclusive privilege granted by this Act, shall, without the license of the said inventor, make, use, sell, or put in practice the said invention, or who shall counterfeit or imitate the same. Provided that no such action shall be maintained in any of the Courts of the East India Company other than the principal Court of original jurisdiction in civil cases within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the cause of action shall accrue or the defendant shall reside as a fixed inhabitant.

Action for infringement.

XXII. No such action shall be defended upon the ground of any defect or insufficiency of the specification of the invention, nor shall any such action be defended upon the ground of a misdescription of the invention in the petition; nor upon the ground that the Plaintiff was not the inventor, unless the defendant shall show that he is the actual inventor or derives title from him. Any such action may be defended upon the ground that the invention was not new, if the person making the defence, or some person through whom he claims, shall, before the date of the petition for leave to file the specification, have publicly or actually used in India the invention, or that part of it of which the infringement shall be proved; but not otherwise.

Defect in specification or petition, or want of novelty in invention, &c., no defence to action for infringement.

The actual use of an invention in India before date of petition, a defence to such action.

XXIII. It shall be lawful for any person to apply by motion to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature for a rule to show cause why the Court should not declare that an exclusive privilege in respect of an invention has not been acquired under the provisions of this Act by reason of all or any of the objections following (to be specified in the rule), that is to say—

Application to Supreme Courts to declare exclusive privilege not to have been acquired on following grounds—

That the said invention was not, at the time of presenting the petition for leave to file the specification, a new invention, or

Invention not new.

That the petitioner was not the inventor thereof, and, in addition thereto, either that the applicant was the inventor or that the inventor has dedicated or made known the invention to the public or has acquiesced in the public use thereof, or

Petitioner not the inventor, &c.

That the specification filed does not particularly describe and ascertain the nature of the invention or in what manner the same is to be performed, or

Invention not described in specification.

That the petitioner has fraudulently included in the petition or specification as part of his invention something which was not new or whereof he was not the inventor, or

Fraud in petition or specification.

That the petitioner has wilfully made a false statement in his petition, or

False statement in petition.

That some part of the invention, or the manner in which that part is to be performed as described in the said specification, is not thereby sufficiently described and ascertained, and that such defect or insufficiency was fraudulent, and is injurious to the public.

Fraudulent misdescription of part of invention in specification.

XXIV. Any person may, in like manner, apply to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature for a rule to show cause why the Court should not declare that an exclusive privilege has not been acquired under the provisions of this Act in any part of the invention to be specified in the rule by reason of all or any of the objections following (to be specified in the rule,) that is to say—

Like application as to part of an invention.

That such part of the invention was not new at the date of the petition for leave to file the specification,

That the petitioner was not the inventor of that part of the invention, and, in addition thereto, either that the applicant was the inventor of that part or that the inventor has dedicated or made known the same to the public or has acquiesced in the public use thereof, or

That that part of the invention, and the manner in which it is to be performed, is not sufficiently described and ascertained in the specification, and that such defect or insufficiency is injurious to the public.

Application by Advocate General, on breach of special condition.

XXV. It shall be lawful for the Advocate General of the East India Company at any of the Presidencies of Fort William in Bengal, Fort St. George, and Bombay, or any other person, by order of the Governor General in Council, to apply to any of the said Courts of Judicature for a rule calling upon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, to show cause why the question of the breach of any special condition upon which the leave to file a specification has been granted, or any other question of fact on which the revocation of the exclusive privilege by the Governor General in Council under the power hereinbefore reserved may, in the judgment of the said Governor General in Council, depend, should not be tried in the form of an issue directed by the said Court; and, if the rule be made absolute, the Court, unless the breach or other matter of fact be admitted, may thereupon direct such issue to be tried, and certify the result of such trial to the Governor General in Council. The costs of such trial, and also the costs of any proceedings in any of the said Courts of Judicature under the provisions of this Act, shall be in the discretion of the Court.

Service of proceedings on all persons interested.

XXVI. Notice of any rule obtained or proceeding taken under either of the last three preceding Sections shall be served on all persons appearing to be proprietors or to have shares or interests in the exclusive privilege under the provisions of Section XXXIV of this Act, and it shall not be necessary to serve such notice on any other persons.

Supreme Court may direct issue for trial to other Courts.

XXVII. Any of the said Courts of Judicature, if it think fit, may direct an issue for the trial, before the same Court or any other Court of Her Majesty or any principal Court of original jurisdiction in civil cases of the East India Company, of any question of fact arising upon an application under Section XXIII, XXIV, or XXV of this Act, and such issue shall be tried accordingly in a summary manner, and, if the issue be directed to another Court, the finding shall be certified by the Court before which the same was tried, to the Court directing the issue. If the issue be directed to any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature, the Court by which the issue is tried may, before the finding is certified, direct a new trial of such issue according to the usual course and practice of such Court. If the issue be directed to a Court of the East India Company, the finding shall not be subject to appeal to any other Court of the said Company, but the evidence taken upon the trial shall be recorded, and a copy thereof, certified by the Judge, shall be transmitted, together with any remarks he may think fit to make thereon, to the Court by which the issue was directed; and such Court may either act upon the decision of the Court which tried the issue, or direct a new trial if it shall appear necessary.

New trial.

Judgment.

XXVIII. If it shall appear to any of the said Courts of Judicature at the hearing of any application under the provisions of Section XXIII or XXIV of this Act that, by reason of any of the objections therein mentioned, the said exclusive privilege in the invention or in any part thereof has not been acquired, the Court shall give judgment accordingly, and shall make such order as to the costs of and consequent upon the application as it may think just; and thereupon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, and assigns, shall, so long as the judgment continues in force, cease to be entitled to such exclusive privilege.

Costs.

Amendment of specification.

XXIX. If the Court, at the hearing of any such application as last aforesaid, shall think that the petitioner has, in the description of his invention in the petition or specification, included something which at the date of the petition was not new or whereof he was not the inventor, or that the specification is in any particular defective or insufficient, but that the error, defect, or insufficiency was not fraudulently intended, the Court may adjudge the said exclusive privilege to have been acquired and to be valid, save as to the part thereof affected by such error, defect, or insufficiency, or, if the Court shall think that the error, defect, or insufficiency can be amended without injury to the public, they may adjudge the exclusive privilege in the whole of the invention to be valid, and may, upon such terms as shall appear reasonable, order the specification to be amended in any of the said particulars; and thereupon the petitioner, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall, within the time limited by the said Court for the purpose, file a specification amended according to such order.

Misdescription in the petition, if not fraudulent, not to defeat the privilege.

XXX. An exclusive privilege shall not be defeated upon the ground that there is any misdescription of the invention in the petition, unless such misdescription was fraudulent.

Entry in registry book of judgment, &c. declaring privilege not to have been acquired.

XXXI. Whenever it shall be adjudged by any of the said Courts of Judicature that an exclusive privilege as to the whole or any part of an invention has not been acquired, the said Secretary to the Government of India shall, upon the production of the judgment or order, cause an entry thereof to be made in the said book, hereinbefore directed to be kept, and shall cause a reference to such entry to be made in the margin of the entry of the specification contained in such book.

In what case actual inventor entitled to assignment of an exclusive privilege fraudulently obtained.

XXXII. If, upon proceedings instituted within two years from the date of a petition to file a specification, the actual inventor shall prove to the satisfaction of any of Her Majesty's Courts of Judicature or of the principal Court of the East India Company having jurisdiction in Civil

cases within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the Defendant shall reside as a fixed inhabitant, that the petitioner was not the actual inventor and that, at the time of the petition, he knew or had good reason to believe that the knowledge of the invention was obtained by himself or by some other person surreptitiously or in fraud of the actual inventor, or by means of a communication made in confidence by the actual inventor to him or to any person through whom he derived such knowledge, the Court may compel the petitioner to assign to the actual inventor any exclusive privilege obtained under this Act and to account for and pay over the profits thereof.

Particulars to be delivered.

XXXIII. In any action for the infringement of such exclusive privilege the Plaintiff shall deliver with his plaint particulars of the breaches complained of in the said action, and the Defendant, in pleading thereto, shall deliver with his pleas particulars of the grounds (if any) upon which he means to contend that the Plaintiff is not entitled to an exclusive privilege in the invention. In like manner, upon any application to any of the said Courts of Judicature under Section XXIII, XXIV, or XXV of this Act, the applicant shall deliver particulars of the objections on which he means to rely. At the trial of any such action or issue no evidence shall be allowed to be given in support of any alleged infringement or of any objection impeaching the validity of such exclusive privilege which shall not be contained in the particulars delivered as aforesaid. If it be alleged that the invention was publicly known or used prior to the date of the petition for leave to file such specification, the places where and the manner in which the invention was so publicly known or used shall be stated in such particulars. Provided, always, that it shall be lawful for any Court in which the action or proceeding is pending, or in which the issue is tried, to allow the Plaintiff or Defendant respectively to amend the particulars delivered as aforesaid upon such terms as shall seem fit.

Service of proceedings.

XXXIV. A book shall be kept in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department (such book to be open to inspection without fee) wherein every person filing a specification under this Act shall cause to be stated, under a number corresponding with the number of the specification, some place in India where service of any rule or proceedings for the purpose of cancelling or revoking his exclusive privilege may be made. All persons, partnerships, or Companies from time to time being proprietors of, or having shares or interests in, such exclusive privilege, shall cause to be entered in such book, under such number as aforesaid, their names, together with the name of some place for the service of such proceedings as aforesaid. All such rules and proceedings as aforesaid shall be deemed sufficiently served on any such person, partnership, or Company if a copy thereof be left at the place entered in such book, or (if any other place be substituted for the same by entry in the said book) at the place last substituted, by delivering the same to any person resident at, or in charge of, such place; or, if there be no person resident at, or in charge of, such place, or if such place be not within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, by causing such rule or proceeding to be sent by Post by a registered letter directed to such person, partnership, or Company at such place; and if any such person, partnership, or Company shall neglect to make or cause to be made such entry, then service of such rule or proceeding, may be effected by affixing a copy thereof to some conspicuous part of the Court House or in such other manner as the Court may direct.

Nothing in this Act to affect Prerogative of Crown.

XXXV. Nothing herein contained shall abridge or affect the Prerogative of the Crown in relation to the granting or withholding the grant of any Letters Patent for inventions or otherwise, or affect or interfere with any Letters Patent for an invention heretofore granted or hereafter to be granted by the Crown.

Stamp on petition.

XXXVI. Every petition for leave to file a specification under the provisions of this Act, or for the extension of the term of an exclusive privilege, shall be written or printed on stamped paper of the value of one hundred rupees.

Interpretation.

XXXVII. In the construction of this Act, the following words and expressions shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them, unless there be something in the subject or context repugnant to such construction.

Words importing the singular number shall include the plural number, and words importing the plural number shall include the singular number.

Words importing the masculine gender shall include females.

The word "invention" shall include an improvement.

The word "manufacture" shall be deemed to include any art, process, or manner of producing, preparing, or making an article, and also any article prepared or produced by manufacture.

The word "inventor" when not used in conjunction with the word "actual," shall include the importer of an invention not publicly known or used in India.

The words "inventor" and "actual inventor" shall include the executors, administrators, or assigns of an inventor or actual inventor as the case may be.

The word "assigns" shall include grantees of the sole use or benefit in India of an invention, or of the sole use of an exclusive privilege for a limited time.

The word "India" shall mean the territories for the time being in the possession and under the Government of the East India Company.

The words "Governor General in Council" shall include the "President in Council."

The words "Secretary to the Government of India" shall include any Under-Secretary to the said Government.

FORM OF PETITION.

To the Governor General of India in Council.

The petition of *(here insert name, addition, and place of residence)* for leave to file a specification under Act No. VI of 1856.

Sheweth,

That your petitioner is in possession of an invention for *(state the title of the invention)*, which invention he believes will be of public utility; that he is the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or the executor or administrator of the inventor)*; and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to

the best of his knowledge and belief *(or, as the case may be, that he is the first importer into India of the said invention, and that the same is not publicly known or used in India.)*

(If Letters Patent have been obtained for the invention, state according to the requirements of Section XIX.)

The following is a description of the invention *(here describe it.)*

Your petitioner therefore prays for leave to file a specification of the said invention pursuant to the provisions of Act No. VI of 1856.

And your petitioner, &c.

(Signed)

The day of

FORMS OF DECLARATION.

A.

I *(here insert name, addition, and place of residence)* do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am in possession of an invention for *(state the title of the invention as in the petition)*; that I believe the said invention will be of public utility; that I am the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or executor or administrator of the inventor) (or that I am the first importer of the said invention into India)* and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to the best of my knowledge and belief; and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, my said invention is truly described in my petition for leave to file a specification thereof.

The day of

(Signed)

B.

I *(here insert name addition and place of residence)* do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am in possession of an invention for *(state the nature of the invention,)* which invention I believe will be of public utility; that I am the inventor thereof *(or, as the case may be, the assignee or executor or administrator of the inventor)(or that I am the first importer of the said invention into India)* and that the same is not publicly known or used in India to the best of my knowledge and belief; and that, to the best of my belief, the instrument in writing under my hand hereunto annexed particularly describes and ascertains the nature of the said invention and in what manner the same is to be performed.

The day of

(Signed)

C.

I of

do solemnly and sincerely declare that I have been appointed by the said his agent for the purpose of , and I verily believe that the declaration purporting to be the declaration of the said marked ( ) was signed by him, and that the contents thereof are true.

The day of

(Signed) ———

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 390.

Fort William, Home Department,
The 4th March 1856.

Notifications.—The Reverend George Edward Yate, M. A., has been appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors an Assistant Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment.

No. 391.

The 5th March 1856.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to re-attach to the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William, Mr. James Combe, of the Civil Service, who reported his return from Furlough on the 4th instant.

No. 392.

The Furlough available by the return to India of Mr. J. Combe is assigned to Mr. F. Thompson, for one year, from the date of his embarkation for Europe.

No. 393.

A Furlough available by Mr. C W. Mackillop's withdrawal is assigned to Mr. D. Simson, for three years, from the date of his embarkation for Europe.

No. 394.

The 6th March 1856.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to place the services of the Revd. G. E. Yate, an Assistant Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 395.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to re-attach to the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William, Mr. Edward Jenkins, of the Civil Service, who reported his return from Furlough on the 4th instant.

No. 396.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to attach Messrs. C. J. Mackenzie and C. A. Daniell, of the Civil Service, reported qualified for the Public Service, to the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William.

No. 397.

The Furlough available by the return to India of Mr. Edward Jenkins is assigned to Mr. E. A. Prinsep, of the Civil Service, for one year, from the date of his embarkation for Europe.

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1325.

Fort William, Foreign Department,
The 5th March 1856.

Mr. E. Wakefield, Extra Assistant, to have charge of the Treasury at Goordaspore, in addition to his other duties.

No. 1326.

Lieutenant G. Blair, of the Madras Artillery, is appointed a Junior Assistant in the Survey of the Province of Pegu, from the 25th January, the date on which he entered on his duties, *vice* Lieutenant McMahon.

No. 1327.

Reverend C. Sloggett, Chaplain of Dugshai, has obtained one month's privilege leave, from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 1328.

The 7th March 1856.

Mr. A. Jenkins, Assistant Commissioner of Jhelum, has passed an examination for the higher standard.

No. 1329.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend H. S. Polehampton to be Chaplain of Lucknow.

No. 1330.

Mr. J. Treacy to be Collector of Customs at Tounghoo.

No. 1331.

Ensign C. K. M. Walter, Officiating Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General for the States of Rajpootana, joined his appointment on the 19th ultimo.

No. 1332.

Captain J. B. Dennys assumed the Command of the Kotah Contingent on the 20th ultimo.

No. 1333.

The Reverend F. Farrer, Chaplain of Meean Meer, has obtained one month's privilege leave from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 1334.

Captain A. Chesney, Deputy Commissioner of the Bhundarra District, has obtained leave of absence, under Medical certificate, for two months, from the 1st January last, in extension of the leave for one month, granted to him in General Order, dated the 4th January last, No. 96.

No. 1335.

Major S. A. Abbott, Deputy Commissioner in the Punjab, reported his arrival from England on the Steamer "*Bentinck*", on the 31st January last, and has obtained leave of absence for two months, under the revised Absentee Rules, from the date of his arrival, to enable him to rejoin his appointment.

No. 1336.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Lieutenant W. G. Cumming, 17th Regiment Bombay Native Infantry, Assistant Revenue Surveyor in Guzerat, to officiate as Second Assistant to the Agent Governor General for Central India.

Assistant Surgeon C. Thomson, M. D., Bombay Establishment, to have Medical charge of the Bhopal Agency and Contingent, *vice* Assistant Surgeon C. Timins, resigned.

G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 47.

Fort William, Public Works Department,
PUBLIC.

The 28th February 1856.

Appointments.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Lieutenant C. W. Hutchinson, of Engineers, to be Assistant to the Chief Engineer in the Punjab, from the 21st ultimo, in succession to Lieutenant W. A. Crommelin.

No. 48.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Lieutenant H. Brownlow, of Engineers, to officiate as Superintendent of the Eastern Jumna Canal, during the absence of Captain W. E. Morton, who has received one month's leave of absence, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on Medical certificate.

No 49.

The 7th March 1856.

Notification.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel the unexpired portion of the leave of absence granted in General Order No. 903, of the 4th September 1855, to Lieutenant C. J. Mead, of Artillery, Executive Officer 3rd Division, Dacca and Arracan Road, from the 21st February 1856, the date on which he returned to Akyab.

No. 50.

Appointment.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Lieutenant C. W. Nightingale, 18th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Executive Officer of the Dalhousie Road.

W. E. BAKER, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 668.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 29th February 1856.—Mr. J. C. Martin, Officiating Sub-Assistant to the Commissioner of Assam at Gowalparrah, is vested with the powers of a Moonsiff in that District.

The 3rd March 1856.—Mr. J. Smith to be a Member of the Ferry Fund Committee at Nuddea.

The 5th March 1856.—Mr. W. U Eddis to be a Member of the Ferry Fund Committee at Pubna.

The 7th March 1856.—Mr. E. Jenkins to officiate as Additional Judge of Dacca and Backergunge.

Leave of Absence.—The 5th March 1856.—Mr. W. H. Elliott, Officiating Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, for one year, on Medical certificate, under Section VI. of the new revised Absentee Rules, and preparatory leave from the 7th instant to the date of his departure from India under Clause IV. Section VI. of those Rules.

Syed Abdool Mujeed, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Backergunge, for twelve days, on private affairs, in extension of the leave granted to him on the 14th January last.

W. GREY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor North-Western Provinces.

No. 1502 of 1856

Judicial Department,

Agra, the 29th February 1856.

Appointments.—Mahomed Hussun, Principal Sudder Ameen of Bareilly, to be Principal Sudder Ameen of Allyghur.

Hydur Allee Khan, Additional Principal Sudder Ameen of Bareilly, to be Principal Sudder Ameen of Bareilly.

Mahomud Ruzzeeooddeen, Principal Sudder Ameen of Allyghur, to be Additional Principal Sudder Ameen of Bareilly.

No. 1514 of 1856.

Judicial and Revenue Department.

Lieutenant J. C. Wood to be Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Class, at Hoshungabad.

Lieutenant W. Nembhard to be Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Class, at Dumoh.

No. 1516 of 1856.

Judicial Department.

Notification.—Mr. John Carne, Assistant Magistrate of Pergunnah Muhoba, Zillah Hameerpoor, is vested with the powers of a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, within the limits of his jurisdiction.

No. 1518 of 1856.

Judicial and Revenue Department,

Erratum.—In the Order, No. 1326, dated the 26th February, appointing Assistant Surgeon James King Walter to be Civil Assistant Surgeon, for "*Benares*" read "*Ghazeepoor.*"

No. 1553 of 1856.

The 1st March 1856.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. Henry Lushington, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Mirzapore, for one month, under Section XII. of the New Absentee Rules, from the date on which, under the authority of the Commissioner, he made over charge of his Office.

By order of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Proviuces,

W. Muir,

Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

General Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 5th March 1856.

No. 376 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Home Department, are published in General Orders :—

No. 337, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—Surgeon G. Paton is appointed to officiate as Director General of the Post Office of India.

No. 340, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon A. Sprenger, M. D., a Member of the Board of Examiners and Persian Translator to the Government of India, resumed charge of his duties on the 26th instant.

No. 377 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, is published in General Orders :—

Appointment.—3*rd March* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon P. F. Bellew to be Civil Assistant Surgeon at Mymensing, from the date of Assistant Surgeon Elton's departure for Europe.

No. 378 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, are published in General Orders :—

No. 1266, *dated* 27*th February* 1856.—The services of Assistant Surgeon E. James are re-placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, from the 2nd instant, instead of the 31st ultimo, as notified in General Order No. 122A, of that date, which is hereby cancelled.

Appointment.—*No.* 1268, *dated* 27*th February* 1856.—Lieutenant John Murray Murray, 6th Light Cavalry, to be an Aid-de-Camp on the Staff of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, from the 16th instant.

No. 379 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe, on leave of absence, on Sick certificate :—

First Lieutenant John Fraser Raper, of the Regiment of Artillery, ...	For three years, under the old Rules.

No. 380 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

66th or Goorka Regiment.

Ensign Arthur Upton Fox Ruxton to be Lieutenant, from the 23rd February 1856, *vice* Lieutenant Alfred Barker, deceased.

73rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Charles Kenneth Mackenzie Walter to be Lieutenant, from the 26th February 1856, *vice* Lieutenant William Stephen Twycross, deceased.

Fort William, 6th March 1856.

No. 381 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers have returned to their duty on this Establishment, without prejudice to their rank, by permission of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors :—

	Date of Arrival at Fort William.
Brevet Major Philip Arthur Pleydell Bouverie, of the 35th Regiment Light Infantry, Surgeon Thomas Leckie, M. D, of the Medical Department,	29th February 1856.

No. 382 *of* 1856.—The services of Captain J. E. Fraser, of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 383 *of* 1856.—*Erratum.*—In Government General Order, No. 122 of 1856, announcing the Promotions in the Warrant Grades of the Army Commissariat Department, for Sergeant James "Gilman" read *Gillmon.* Order Books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 384 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following temporary promotions in the Cawnpore Magazine Establishment, which will have effect from the 6th December last :—

Permanent Conductor N. Reilly to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary of Ordnance, during the absence on leave of Assistant Commissary Bethune.

Sub-Conductor G. W. Shaw to act as Permanent Conductor, *vice* Reilly.

No. 385 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to direct, that the following paras. of a Military Letter from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, to the Government of India, No. 2, dated 2nd January 1856, be published in General Orders :—

Letter dated 3rd September 1855, *No.* 201.

Letter from Captain Skinner, transfered from the Nizam's Army to an Unattached Commission in the Company's Service, requesting information as to the amount of pension he will be entitled to on retirement. The Auditor General's views on the subject recapitulated by Government.

Also No. 206.

Enquiry as to how the New Furlough Rules are to apply to Captain Skinner, and other Unattached Officers.

Para. 2. We concur with the views on this subject which are expressed in the Military Auditor General's Report of the 18th July 1855. Captain Skinner will be accordingly entitled to count his service for retirement from the date of his first Commission in the Army of His Highness the Nizam. He will be also entitled to the benefits of the New Furlough Regulations as an Officer of that standing in the Service.

3. All Unattached Officers are entitled to the benefit of the New Furlough Regulations from the date of their first Commissions.

Fort William, 7th March 1856.

No. 386 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

Infantry.

Major John Grant Gerrard to be Lieutenant Colonel, ...

Right Wing 1st European Bengal Fusiliers.

Captain and Brevet Major John William Bennett to be Major,

First Lieutenant George Craster Lambert to be Captain of a Company, ...

Second Lieutenant Montagu Hall to be First Lieutenant, ...

From the 20th February 1856, in succession to Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Wilson Oldfield, retired.

No. 387 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe, on leave of absence, on Sick certificate :—

Major James Stephen Davies, of the 32nd Regiment Native Infantry, — For eighteen months, under the new Regulations.

No. 388 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

37th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Peter Henry Peck Gill to be Captain of a Company, ...

Ensign John Lorimer Sawers to be Lieutenant, ...

From the 23rd December 1855, in succession to Captain and Brevet Colonel William Mayne, deceased.

No. 389 *of* 1856.—The Regimental Order issued by Lieutenant C. W. Miles, Commanding Shah Jehan ki Paltun, an Infantry Regiment of the Oude Irregular Force, dated 22nd February 1856, directing Lieutenant J. C. Longueville Clarke, Second in Command of the Regiment, to receive charge of the Adjutant's Office, as a temporary arrangement, is confirmed.

No. 390 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is confirmed :—

No. 30, *dated* 18*th February* 1856.—Brigadier C. Mackenzie, Commanding Southern Division, Hyderabad Contingent, has six weeks' leave of absence, from the date of quitting Bolarum, to proceed to Bombay, in anticipation of being permitted to proceed to Europe, on Medical certificate, for fifteen months, under the new Furlough Regulations.

No. 391 *of* 1856.—The following Orders, issued by the Brigadier Commanding the Oude Irregular Force, are confirmed :—

"*No.* 2, *dated* 18*th February* 1856.—Lieutenant T. A. Carey, Second in Command of Infantry, Oude Irregular Force, is appointed Acting Commandant of a Regiment to be raised immediately at Balukgunge, from Drafts obtained from Troops of the late Government of Oude."

"*No.* 1, *dated* 21*st February* 1856.—Lieutenant R. Murray, in charge of the Reserve Company of Artillery and Ordnance Stores, is authorized to entertain fifty Clashees, as a temporary arrangement, for the purpose of collecting Guns and Stores belonging to the late Government of Oude, and removing the same to the Sheesh Mahul, which building has been made over to him as an Arsenal."

No 392 *of* 1856.—A diversity of practice having prevailed, as regards the dates from which pensions granted by the Honorable the Court of Directors, or the Supreme Government of India, should be payable, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to publish for general information, the following Rules passed in the Financial Department, under date the 21st February 1856.

1. In cases of pensions sanctioned by the Government of India or the Local Governments, in which the parties applying for pension are still in the employment of Government, it has been usual for the pensions to commence from the date on which the pensioners may cease to be borne on the Effective Establishment.

2. In cases of pensions sanctioned by the Government of India or the Local Governments, in which parties are not in the employment of Government at the time of applying for pensions, the pensions com mence from the date of the Order sanctioning the pensions.

3. In cases of pensions sanctioned by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, the pensions, like other charges sanctioned by the Court, are payable from the date of the receipt of the Court's Despatches by the Governments to which they are addressed.

4. In cases in which dates are specifically mentioned, the pensions of course take effect from the dates specified.

The above Rules appear to His Lordship in Council to be unobjectionable, and he is pleased to direct that they be made generally known and acted on.

No. 393 *of* 1856.—*Errata.*—In Government General Order No. 1346, of the 21st December 1855, publishing Promotions and Appointments in the Ordnance Commissariat Department, for Serjeant Major Alexander "Hefferan" read Alexander *Heffernan*; for Serjeant Major "Thomas" Scully read *John* Scully; for Magazine Serjeant J McDermot read *Armourer* Serjeant J. McDermot. Order Books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 394 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Commissioner of the Province to the Nagpore Irregular Force, is confirmed :—

Dated 18*th February* 1856.—The Officer Commanding the Force being about to proceed to Chandah and Raepore, for the purpose of inspecting the Regiments at those Stations, Lieutenant and Acting Adjutant C. H. Ricketts, Officiating Second in Command, will assume Command of the Regiment of Cavalry, until the arrival from leave of Lieutenant A. B. Cumberlege, the Staff Officer, when Lieutenant E. G. Wood, Officiating Staff Officer, will, after making over the Staff Office, revert to his appointment of Second in Command and assume Command of the Cavalry Regiment, during the absence of the Officer Commanding, or until further orders.

No. 395 *of* 1856.—It is hereby notified that Officers proceeding to Europe, whether on Medical Certificate, or on Private Affairs, may, when an opportunity occurs, embark at Kurrachee direct for Suez.

In cases of Officers proceeding on Medical Certificate, the final Medical examination shall be made at Kurrachee by a Committee of Medical Officers to be formed under the orders of the Government of Bombay.

Applications for leave to Europe, embarking at Kurrachee, are to be made in conformity with existing Rules.

No. 396 *of* 1856.—Major W. G. Prendergast, of the 8th Regiment Light Cavalry, then Commanding the 3rd Regiment Punjaub Cavalry, is allowed leave of absence from the 1st January to the 30th April 1856, to visit Kurrachee or Bombay, preparatory to applying for leave of absence, on Sick certificate to Europe, under the old Rules.

No. 397 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Senior Surgeon John Greig, of the Medical Department, to be a Superintending Surgeon on the Establishment, from the 24th of February 1856, in succession to Superintending Surgeon H. Guthrie, M. D., retired.

No. 398 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments on His Lordship's Personal Staff :—

To be Honorary Aides-de-Camp.

Colonel A. Abbott, C. B., Bengal Artillery,
Lieutenant Colonel A. J. Hadfield, Madras Invalids, ...
Lieutenant Colonel J. Jacob, C. B., Bombay Artillery, ...
Lieutenant Colonel R. Henderson, C. B., Madras Engineers, ...
Major S. A. Abbott, 51st Regiment Bengal Native Infantry, ...
Colonel A. M. Becher, 61st Regiment Bengal Native Infantry. ..
Colonel G. St. P. Lawrence, 2nd Bengal Light Cavalry, ...
Major N. B. Chamberlain, 16th Bengal Native Infantry, ...
Colonel H. T. Tucker, C. B., 8th Regiment Bengal Native Infantry. ...
Lieutenant F. W. Lambert, 56th Bengal Native Infantry, ...

To be Aide-de-Camp.

The Subadar for the time being in Command of the Guard of Infantry at the Government House, for the month during which such Subadar shall be employed on that duty, ...

The above appointments to have effect from the 1st instant.

No. 399 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers are appointed Brigadiers on the Establishment, from the 14th instant, in succession to the several Officers whose Brigade Commands will terminate on that date, under the operation of the Rule published in G. O. G. G., dated the 21st September last :—

Colonel T. Polwhele, of the 54th Regiment N. I., (at present temporarily employed on the Brigade Staff), *vice* Major General J. Hoggan, C. B.

Colonel F. Brind, C. B., of the Artillery, (at present temporarily employed on the Brigade Staff), *vice* Major General P. F. Story, C. B.

Colonel G. Campbell, of Artillery, *vice* Major General N. Penny, C. B., now in temporary Command of the Cawnpore Division, which he will continue to exercise during the absence of Major General Sir J. Cheape, K. C. B.

Colonel P. Innes, of the 14th Regiment N. I., *vice* Major General J. Parsons, C. B.

Colonel H. M. Graves, of the 59th Regiment Native Infantry, *vice* Major General J. Eckford, C. B., now in temporary Command of the Presidency Division, which he will continue to exercise during the absence of Major General Shaw.

Colonel A. Wilson is appointed Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, from the 14th instant, and will exercise the Command of the Station of Meerut, in conjunction with his Regimental duties, *vice* Major General G. Brooke, C. B., whose Command will terminate on that date, under the G. G. O. above mentioned.

No. 400 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following postings of Unposted Cornets and Ensigns :—

Rank and Names.	To what Regiment posted.	Station.
Cavalry.		
Cornet Melville Balfour,	5th L. C. as 2nd Cornet,	Peshawur.
Cornet Charles Hay Fairlie,	6th L. C. as 2nd Cornet,	Nowgong.
Infantry.		
Ensign John Liston, (not arrived,)	21st N. I. as 2nd Ensign,	Peshawur.
Ensign Alfred FitzHugh, (not arrived,)	21st N. I. as 3rd Ensign,	Peshawur.
Ensign Robert Horace Hudleston, (not arrived,)	69th N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Hosheyarpore.
Ensign William Wemyss Frewen Hay, (not arrived,)	17th N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Lucknow.
Ensign Malcolm George Clerk,	1st N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Cawnpore.
Ensign Frederick Peere William Freeman, (not arrived,)	58th N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Jhelum.
Ensign Russell Morland Skinner,	29th N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Jullundur.
Ensign Robert Wheeler,	61st N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Jullundur.
Ensign Thomas James Ritchie,	22nd N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Lucknow.
Ensign Robarts William Elton,	63rd N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Camp Soorie.
Ensign Francis David Millett Brown,	1st E B. F. as 8th 2nd Lieut.	Proceeding to Dugshaie.
Ensign George Giles Rooke,	21st N. I. as 4th Ensign,	Peshawur.
Ensign William Vesy Fitzgerald Jacob,	37th N. I. as 5th Ensign,	Proceeding to Benares.
Ensign Henry Morton,	73rd N. I. as 5th Ensign,	Baraitch in Oude.
Ensign Alfred Abercromby Dick,	52nd N. I. as 5th Ensign,	Cawnpore—ordered to Wuzeerabad.
Ensign Edward Trower FitzGerald,	66th or Goorka Regt. as 5th Ensign,	Rawul Pindee.
Ensign Robert Eckford,	57th N. I. as 5th Ensign,	Ferozepore.

No. 401 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Henry Milne to be Major, ...
Lieutenant Henry Edward Iremonger to be Captain of a Company, ...
Ensign Lionel Henry Planta DeHochepied Larpent to be Lieutenant, ...
} From the 28th February 1856, in succession to Major Thomas James, retired.

Medical Department.

Assistant Surgeon Graham Lacon, M. D., to be Surgeon, from the 24th February 1856, *vice* Senior Surgeon Hugh Guthrie, M. D., retired.

No. 402 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers have returned to their duty on this Establishment, without prejudice to their rank, by permission of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors :—

	Date of Arrival at Fort William.
Major General Henry Chambers Murray Cox, Colonel of the 58th Native Infantry, ...	4th March 1856.
Captain and Brevet Major Charles Reid, 10th Native Infantry, (Second in Command of the Sirmoor Battalion),	
Captain Augustus Henry Ternan, 3rd Native Infantry, (on Civil employ,)	
Surgeon Elliot Voyle Davies, M. D., of the Medical Department, ...	
Assistant Surgeon Frederick Morrison Clifford, of the Medical Department, ...	

No. 403 *of* 1856.—Major J. Graham, of the 3rd European Regiment, is permitted to resign the appointment of Executive Officer of the Sylhet Division of Public Works, which he at present holds, and his services are accordingly placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Opium Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Third Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1854-55, will be held at the Exchange Hall, on Monday, the 10th March 1856, at 11 A. M., and will comprise 3,460 Chests, *viz.* :—

Behar Opium, ...	2,440
Benares Ditto, ...	1,020
Total Chests,...	3,460

2nd. The general Conditions of the Sale now advertized will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 11th December 1855, and published in the *Calcutta* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for Deposit and Clearance will be the 15th and 25th March 1856, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, Company's Paper, or other Public Securities, that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale, will be received after 4 P. M. of Saturday, the 15th March 1856, and no Treasury Receipts, in full payment of Lots, will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Tuesday, the 25th March 1856.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertized for Sale, the following quantities,* more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium, will be brought to Sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below; the Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

	Chests.
* Behar Opium of 1854-55,	21,498
Benares do. of do.,	9,170
Behar do. of 1853-54, (re-manufactured,) ..	460
Chests, ...	31,128

	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 14th April 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Friday, 9th May 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 9th June 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Thursday, 10th July 1856, ...	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 11th August 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Wednesday, 10th September 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Friday, 10th October 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 10th November 1856, ..	2,440	1,020	3,460
On or about Monday, 8th December 1856, ..	2,438	1,010	3,448
Total, ..	21,958	9,170	31,128

By Order of the Board of Revenue,

E. T. TREVOR,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM,
20th February 1856.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

RECEIVER'S OFFICE.

Aushootosh Day, &c., *versus* Rajcoomary Dossee &c., } NOTICE is hereby given, that on Monday, the 10th day of March, 1856, at one o'clock in the afternoon, Charles Swinton Hogg, Esquire, the Receiver of the Supreme Court, will put up at his Office, for Lease, the following Zemindaries, &c., belonging to the Estate of Kistwonondo, Biswas, deceased, upon such terms and conditions, and upon such security as he may think fit; that is to say :—

In 24-Pergunnahs, within the District of the Joint Magistrate of Baraset.

The following Dhees and Mouzahs of eight annas' share of Pergunnah Aunorpore, No. 146, *viz.* :—

Dhee Baloorea, Dhee Kootulsahe, Dhee Kistopore, Dhee Kallikapore, Dhee Bocondo, Dhee Basdebpore, Dhee Bodye, Dhee Chore Kharah, Dhee Bar ooa and Dhee Sahayrah; and Mouzahs, Tol Dhathea, Panybarrah Bayhary, and Bonbmallypore, with Katchary Bauteis, Hauts, Bazars, Sawyers' Ghauts, Tanks, Gardens, Shops, Factories, (Save Modo Morrally Factory,) and all other profits and appertenances to the said eight annas' share of the said Dhees and Mouzahs.

Debotra resumed permanently-settled Mehal, called Kismut Madhubpore, &c., No. 1178, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Factories, &c., &c., as stated above.

An Indigo Factory, called Moddoo Morrary Factory, situate in Pergunnah Aunorpore, in the Zillah of the 24-Pergunnahs, with a Tank attached to it.

In 24-Pergunnahs, within the District of the Magistrate of 24-Pergunnahs.

The following Turuffs, Mouzah and Kismut, of the eight annas' share of Mohel Modrosa, No. 145, *viz.* :—

Turuffs Jangra, Panchooria, Haltoo, Kodalia, and Hautgatcha, Mouzah Bone Hooghly, and Kismut Khordah, with Katchary Bauties, Bazars Hauts, &c., &c., as stated above.

The following Turuffs, Mouzah and Kismut, of the Zemindaries No. 147, of eight annas' share of Bawotah, known by the name of Sree Bautie, in Pergunnah Calcutta, *viz.*, Turuffs Byrampore, Mowsool and Rogoonothpore, and Mouzah Doorgabatty, and Kismut Kherdah, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Garden, &c., &c., as stated above.

The following Turuffs, Mouzahs, and Kismuts of the Zemindaries No. 169, called Hautiarah, *viz.* Turuffs Neez Hautiarah, and Khorumba, and Mouzahs Borakhollah Anharampore, Gantee, and Rygatchee, &c., and Kismuts Santgatchee, Donoiot, and Chapna, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, Gardens, &c. &c., as stated above.

Within Sawha baw Bangeecha, Turuff Polta, &c., permanently-sett led Mohal No. 1., with Hauts, Bazars, Garden, &c. &c., as stated above.

Two Lease-hold Mohels No. 1072 and 1074, called Chondy Barry, and Taj Gharry, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, &c., as stated above.

One fifth of one anna and three pies share of the Zemindary of late Gocool Chunder Gossain, No. 217, called Kismut Khardah, with Katchary Bauties, Hauts, Bazars, &., as stated above.

For further particulars apply at the Receiver's Office, Supreme Court.

W. MACPHERSON,
Master.

Receiver's Office, Court House,
The 21st February 1856.

NOTICE.—In the event of these Dividends remaining unclaimed for six months from this date, they will be paid into the Court.

ESTATE NEELRUTTON HALDAR, AN INSOLVENT.

Schedule of Second Unclaimed Dividends.

NAMES OF CREDITORS.	Amount of Claim Co.'s Rs.			2nd Dividend at 10 pr. Cent. 4th Aug. 1855.		
	Co.'s Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Brodacaunt Roy Rajah,	930	0	0	93	0	0
Gourmohun Day and another,	325	0	0	32	8	0
Mudden Mohun Mitter,	1000	0	0	100	0	0
Munnablaul,	100	0	0	10	0	0
Mackenzie, Lyall and Co,	500	0	0	50	0	0
Rammohun Mookerjee,	143	0	0	14	4	9
Sibchunder Mullick,	900	0	0	90	0	0
Co.'s Rs.,				389	12	9

E. E.

ESTATE HENRY BUTLER, AN INSOLVENT.

NAMES OF CREDITORS.	Amount of Claim.			1st Dividend at 33-5-4 per Cent., 4th Aug. 1855.		
	Co.'s Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Bathgate and Co.,	50	0	0	16	10	8
Cornish, Charles,	1000	0	0	333	5	4
Fowler, Boyd and Co.,	13	0	0	4	5	4
Gopaulchunder Mitter and another,	10	0	0	3	5	4
Muddoosoodun Mullick,	19	0	0	6	5	4
Mendes and Co.,	23	7	6	7	13	2
Watts and Co.,	15	0	0	5	0	0
Co.'s Rs.,				376	13	2

E. E.

JOHN COCHRANE,
Official Assignee.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of an Order of the said Supreme Court, dated the Fourteenth day of February instant, that on Saturday, the Fifteenth day of March now next ensuing, a Court will be holden before Her Majesty's Justices of the said Court, at the Court-House in the Town of Calcutta, in execution of a Writ of *Mandamus* issued out of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer of Pleas at Westminster, for the examination and cross-examination *vivâ voce* on oath of Ludovico Carmichael, the Defendant, and such other Witnesses on the part of the Plaintiff as reside within the Jurisdiction of this Court, and for receiving other proofs therein, pursuant to the Statute in that case made and provided in a certain action now pending in the said Court of Exchequer of Pleas at Westminster, between Alexander Beattie, Plaintiff, and Ludovico Carmichael, Defendant. Dated this 25th day of February 1856.

H. HOLROYD,
Prothonotary.

P. J. PAUL, *Plaintiff's Attorney.*

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Thomas Ley Lewsey, of Dhurrumtollah, in Calcutta, late Chief Officer of the Ganges Steam Navigation Company's Steamer *Chunar*, but at present out of employ, an Insolvent.

Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, on the 22nd day of February last, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

W. H. and H. H. Poe, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of Thomas Ley Lewsey, of Dhurrumtollah, in Calcutta, late Chief Officer of the Ganges Steam Navigation Company's Steamer *Chunar*, but at present out of employ, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 22nd day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 5th day of April next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

W. H. and H. H. Poe, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of Sumboochunder Dutt, of No. 44, Seekdarbagan Street, in Shaumpooker, in Calcutta, a Sircar in the Service of Messrs. Steuart and Co., Coach Builders, an Insolvent.

Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, on the 27th day of February last, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Beeby, *Attorney.*

In the matter of Sumboochunder Dutt, of No. 44, Seekdarbagan Street, in Shaumpooker, in Calcutta, a Sircar in the Service of Messrs. Steuart and Co., Coach Builders, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 27th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Beeby, *Attorney.*

In the matter of Bebee Maney, of No. 5, Lower Chitpore Road, and Judoonath Dhur, of Bow Bazar, in Calcutta, Inhabitants, lately carrying on trade and business together, as Stablekeepers at Bow Bazar, in Calcutta, Insolvents.

Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvents, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, on the 29th day of February last, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Beeby *Attorney.*

In the matter of Bebee Maney, of No. 5, Lower Chitpore Road, and Judoonath Dhur, of Bow Bazar, in Calcutta, Inhabitants, lately carrying on trade and business together as Stable-keepers at Bow Bazar, in Calcutta, Insolvents. } On Friday, the 29th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvents should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Beeby, *Attorney*.

In the matter of Joseph Robinson, of Cossitollah, in Calcutta, Hair Dresser and Perfumer, an Insolvent Trader. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter should stand adjourned until Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the order made in this matter for the *ad interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest should be enlarged to the said 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Sherrington, *Attorney*.

Chief Clerk's Office, 4th March 1856.

In the matter of Andrew Ewin Manly, at present of Intally, in the suburbs of Calcutta, late of Chowringhee Road, in Calcutta, late an Assistant employed in the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, an Insolvent. } Notice, that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Friday, the 14th day of March instant, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent, desirous of opposing such application, must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*"

Sherrington, *Attorney*.

In the several matters of Nilrutton Holdar, (2nd Insolvency,) and Henry Butler, Insolvents. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered upon the application of the Official Assignee, that two several accounts of unclaimed Dividends in the above matters should be respectively received and filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk.

J. Cochrane, *Official Assignee*.

In the Matter of Stephen Williams, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Company's Rupees 4,447-3-3, to and amongst all the Creditors, upon the Estate of the said Insolvent, as a Divident at the rate of Company's Rupees 19 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the Schedule of the said Insolvent, and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the Schedule, when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon Affidavit filed in this Court, with liberty to the said Assignee to apply to the Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. Cochrane, *Official Assignee*.

In the matter of George May, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Co.'s Rs. 6000, to and amongst all the Creditors upon the Estate of the said Insolvent, as a Dividend at the rate of Co.'s Ans. 4 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the Schedule of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the Schedule, when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon Affidait filed in this Court, with liberty to the said assignee to apply to the Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. Cochrane, *Official Assignee*.

In the matter of David Wood, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, an account of the Receipts and Disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 17th day of October 1854 to the 1st day of March 1856, was filed, and may be inspected at the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Saturday, the 5th day of April next, should be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a Dividend.

☞ "*Any Creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the Estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*"

J. Cochrane, *Official Assignee*.

In the matter of Charles Pierrepont Lucas, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, an account of the Receipts and Disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of February 1855 to the 1st day of March 1856, was filed, and may be inspected at the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Saturday, the 5th day of April next, should be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a Dividend.

☞ "*Any Creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the Estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing*"

J. Cochrane, *Official Assignee*.

Chief Clerk's Office, 7th March 1856.

Bank of Bengal.

1st March 1856.

A Meeting of the Proprietors is requested at the Bank on Saturday, the 15th instant, at 10 A. M., for the election of a Director in the room of John Deffell, Esq., resigned.

The Poll will close at 3 P. M.

Published by order of the Directors,

J. B. Plumb,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the Week ending 5th March 1856.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
Proprietors' Capital, ...	1,07,00,000	0	0	Government Securities, ...	25,18,796	5	10
Reserve Fund, ...	1,98,245	8	4	Dues from Government, ...	21,634	4	10
Current Accounts, ...	76,23,401	1	2	Mint Certificates, Undue, ...	26,31,137	1	4
Cash Credits Undrawn, ...	9,00,778	0	1	Cash, ...	72,66,694	3	5
Other Claims, ...	2,03,061	15	0	Loans on Deposit of Securities, ...	1,66,55,834	7	3
Bank Notes and Post Bills, ...	1,41,72,120	7	6	Accounts of Credit on ditto, ...	21,39,506	14	3
				Government Bills Discounted, ...	1,58,066	9	2
				Mercantile Bills ditto, ...	22,43,567	11	0
				Dead Stock, ...	1,62,369	7	9
Co.'s Rs., ...	3,37,97,607	0	1	Co.'s Rs. ...	3,37,97,607	0	1

Published by order of the Directors,

J. B. PLUMB,
Secretary and Treasurer.

C. N. COOKE,
Accountant.

Commercial Bank of India—Bombay.

NOTICE is hereby given, that MR. WILLIAM SHELFORD FITZWILLIAM has been appointed Agent for the Calcutta Branch of the Commercial Bank of India,—Bombay.

By order of the Directors,

EDGAR CORRIE,
Manager.

Agra and United Service Bank.

THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA having, by Notification of 25th January 1855, signified its intention to dissolve its existing connexion with the Government Agency, the AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK will, on being furnished with the necessary powers, receive charge of Government Paper and Bank Shares from the Agent, and realize the Interest when due and Dividends when declared. The Bank will also sell or invest in these Securities for Constituents.

Forms of Letters and Powers of Attorney may be obtained on application to the Bank at Calcutta, or its Branches at Agra and Lahore.

When the proceeds of Government Paper or Shares sold, or of Interest and Dividends realized, are remitted by the Bank's Drafts on England, or on its Indian Branches, no Commission will be charged.

If otherwise paid, or when the Paper or Shares are delivered over, the charge for Commission will be ¼ per cent.

HOURS OF BUSINESS.

From and after Wednesday, the 1st August from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when the Bank will be closed at 1 P. M.

FRANCIS R. NEILSON,
Secretary.

No. 2, Council-House Street,
Calcutta, 30th January 1855.

London and Eastern Banking Corporation.

REFERRING to the Government Notification No. 5, dated Fort William, Financial Department, 24th January 1855, giving notice of the intention of Government to withdraw the authority hitherto granted to the Government Agent at Fort William, and to the Accountants General and the Sub-Treasurers at Fort Saint George and Bombay, to act as Agents on behalf of Proprietors of Government Securities, or Shares in the Capital Stock of the Banks of Bengal, Madras or Bombay respectively.

THE LONDON AND EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION offers to receive charge and undertake the safe custody of any Government Securities and Certificates of Shares in the Bank of Bengal, and other local stock, which the Proprietors may wish to deposit with the Bank; and will receive the interest on such Government Securities, and the dividend on such Bank-share certificates, and other local stock, as it falls due, and either remit the amount of such Interest and Dividend to England in Bills of the Bank, or pay the amount as Proprietors may desire.

The London and Eastern Banking Corporation will also receive remittances for investment in Government Securities, Bank of Bengal Shares and other stock, and will negotiate the sale of such Securities and stock, when required to do so.

One quarter per cent. commission will be charged on the sale or purchase of Government Securities and Bank stock, &c., and on realizing Interest and Dividends. But when the proceeds of Government Paper or other stock, or the Interest or Dividends on the same, are to be remitted through the Bank, *no commission will be charged.*

J. MACKELLAR,
Manager, Calcutta Branch.

London and Eastern
Banking Corporation
Calcutta, January 30,1855.

No. 30.

East-Indian Railway Company.

IT is requested that all communications on the business of the East Indian Railway Company, may be addressed to CECIL STEPHENSON, ESQ., Acting Agent, to whom all Bills, Cheques, Hoondies, &c., should be endorsed and made payable, from this date, until further notice.

Payments on account of Traffic are to be made as usual to the Traffic Manager Bengal Division at Howrah.

R. MACDONALD STEPHENSON,
Managing Director and Agent.

29, THEATRE ROAD,
Calcutta, 7th March 1856.

George A. Depenning,

CIVIL ENGINEER AND PATENT AGENT,

UNDERTAKES the preparing of Petitions, Specifications, and Drawings, according to the provisions of the Act for granting exclusive privileges to Inventors in India.

And through his Agents in London, he also undertakes the procuration of Patents for the United Kingdom, and for all Foreign Countries, for those desiring that their Patents should extend to them.

Communications addressed to the undersigned, No. 7. Grant's Lane, Calcutta, will receive immediate attention.

GEORGE A. DEPENNING.

India General Steam Navigation Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office on Monday, the 10th of March next, at 3 P. M., for passing the Accounts and declaring a Dividend.

By order of the Directors,

J. F. STACE,
Secretary.

CALCUTTA,
26th January 1856.

Notice.

THE Partnership heretofore existing, and carried on, under the style or firm of STEWART AND CALROW, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstandings will be settled by WM. C. STEWART.

WM. C. STEWART.
R. F. CALROW,
By his Attorney,
WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
31st December 1855.

THE undersigned will continue the business as heretofore under the firm of WM. C. STEWART & Co.

WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
1st January 1856.

Notice.

THE Interest and Responsibility of DR. DAVID BEGG in our Firm ceased on the 29th ultimo, and MR. HUGH MACKINTOSH is this day admitted a Partner.

BATHGATE AND CO.

Calcutta,
1st March 1856.

Notice.

THE undersigned have this day established themselves as Merchants and General Agents in Calcutta, under the style and firm of Begg, Dunlop and Co.

DAVID BEGG.
HENRY CHRISTIE.
ROBERT DUNLOP.

1st March 1856.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Money Singh, late Gomashta of the Firm of Lutchmeenarain and Pursotumnarain, of Burtollah Street, Burra Bazar, has been discharged from the said Firm from the 26th of February 1856.

LUTCHMEENARAIN AND PURSOTUMNARAIN.

Calcutta, the 4th March 1856.

Caution.

A POCKET BOOK having been stolen from our Office containing Bills of Exchange, Notice is hereby given, that payment has been stopped, and Bankers and the Public are cautioned against taking *them*. The Bills are drawn by the London Agent of the North-West Bank of India at 60 days' sight in our favor and accepted payable on the 26th instant by the North-West Bank here.

No. 135, for	Rs.	10,000	
„ 136, „	„	10,000	
„ 137, „	„	5,000	
			25,000

and not endorsed

LARPENT, SAUNDERS & Co.

LOST.—The first-half of Bank of Bengal Note, No. 8395, for Rupees (10) ten. Payment has been stopped at the Bank.

LOST.—The first-halves of two Bank of Bengal Notes, Nos. 32,227 and 25,281, for Co.'s Rs. 20 each, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

LOST.—Government Promissory Note, No. 23917, of the Loan of 1842-43, for Co.'s Rs. 1,000. Payment has been stopped at the Treasury.

"THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1854,"

Price 5 Rupees.

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THE

NEW BENGAL DIRECTORY FOR 1856.

IN announcing the above Publication, Messrs. SAMUEL SMITH AND CO. beg to inform their Subscribers and the Public that they have completed their DIRECTORY for the present year which, in every Department of Information or Reference, has been amplified and corrected up to the latest date, and which, for convenience of Form, comprehensiveness, and elegance, considerably surpasses its predecessor of 1855.

Post Office Notifications.

No. 1159.

OVERLAND MAIL.

THE Overland Mail, *viâ* Marseilles and Southampton, and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon and Aden, per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Nubia*, will be closed at this Office, on Saturday, the 8th proximo.

Letters for the United Kingdom, directed *viâ* Marseilles, cannot be pre-paid in this Country. Pre-payment of Steam Postage on Letters *viâ* Southampton is optional.

Steam Postage on all Letters for Foreign Europe *viâ* Marseilles or *viâ* Trieste, and for the United Kingdom *viâ* Trieste, as well as for places in the Mediterranean and in Egypt, must be pre-paid, but Letters for Foreign Europe *viâ* Southampton cannot be pre-paid.

Letters for the United Kingdom, directed *viâ* Trieste, if posted unpaid, (or insufficiently paid by Stamps,) will be forwarded to London *viâ* Marseilles. Those for Foreign Europe will be sent to London *viâ* Southampton, bearing the full amount of Postage due thereon, and Letters for places in Egypt and the Mediterranean will be detained and treated as Unclaimed Letters.

No money will be received in payment of Postage on Letters, which must be paid by Stamps.

Letters for Madras, Ceylon, Bombay, Aden, Malacca, Penang, Singapore, and Hong-Kong, despatched by the P. and O. Co.'s Contract Steamer, are chargeable with Steam Postage, the pre-payment being optional.

Letters for the Mauritius, Australian Colonies, China (except Hong-Kong,) Manilla, Batavia, Java Bourbon, or any place not a British Possession, must be pre-paid by Steam Postage.

With regard to Newspapers and Prices Current the following Abstract of Rules relating to British Postage, chargeable under a Treasury Warrant of 30th June 1855, is published for general information :—

Newspapers or Prices Current posted in India for Great Britain and France are not subject in India to any charge for British Postage, but Newspapers, &c. posted in India, addressed to any British Colony or Possession, or any Foreign Port, or any Port in India, are, if sent by Her Majesty's Mail Steamers, or *viâ* Southampton through England, liable to a Steam Postage charge of One Penny (Nine Pie,) which must be pre-paid in cash. Newspapers, &c. sent through Great Britain *viâ* Marseilles are liable to a Postage charge of Four Pence, and if addressed to British North America *viâ* the United States, a charge of One Penny must be levied on account of the United States in addition to all other Postage.

Newspapers, &c. brought to India by Her Majesty's Packets from a Foreign Port, without having passed through Great Britain, are chargeable with British Postage of One Penny (Nine Pie) on delivery.

Only one paper can be sent in one cover.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM ;
General Post Office,
The 26th February 1856.

No. 1169.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mails for Chittgong and Akyab, for transmission per H. C. Steamer *Hugh Lindsay*, will be closed at this Office on Saturday, the 8th proximo.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM ;
General Post Office,
The 29th February 1856.

Notice.

UNDER instructions from the Government of India, the Director General of the Post Office in India has the honor to request, that all Public Officers who may have occasion during the rains to dispatch Books on the Public Service will send them by the ordinary Banghy Post packed in tin, and not by "Book Post" in short paper covers open at both ends.

H. B. RIDDELL,
Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, the 4th March 1856.

Notice.

THE Superintendent Electric Telegraph in India having, with the sanction of Government, arranged for the transmission by Telegraph, Messages which may be received through the Deputy Post Master of any place which is not a Telegraph Station, notice is hereby given that persons residing at places at which there is no Electric Telegraph Station can despatch Messages by Electric Telegraph through the Post Office. The Electric Telegraph charge for the Message must be paid in cash to the Post Master or Deputy Post Master ; the postage in the cover in which the Message is sent must be pre-paid in Postage Stamps.

A receipt should be taken for the Message and for Electric Telegraph charge, and the Deputy Post Master should be required to seal the cover of the Message and obliterate the Postage Stamps upon it in the presence of the sender of the Message.

H. B. RIDDELL.
Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, 6th March 1856.

Packets for the reception of Letters by the following Ships are open at this Office :—

Names of Vessels.	Agents.	Intended Departure.	For what Port.	Touching at	Remarks.
Steamer Nubia, ...	P. and O. S. N. Co., ..	9th March 1856, ..	Suez, ...	Madras, Ceylon & Aden,	
Str. Hugh Lindsay,...	Hon'ble Company, ..	10th Ditto, ..	Chittagong & Arracan.		
Steamer Lightning,..	Messrs. Apcar and Co.,	After the Opium sale of the 10th instant, ..	Singapore & HongKong		
Steamer Fiery Cross,	Messrs. Jardine Skinner,	Ditto, ..	Penang, Singapore & China.		
Shah Jehan, ..	Hajee Hossun, ..	8th March, ..	Mauritius.		

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

CALCUTTA ;
General Post Office,
The 7th March 1856.

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Notifications.

THE 14TH MAY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, from the 1st July next, Public Officers employed under this Government are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of the Government Work from and after that date.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE 2ND FEBRUARY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, all Public Officers under the Government of India at the Presidency are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of Government Work.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1856.

Legislative Council.

The 11th March 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Right Honorable the Governor General on the 11th March 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. VII. OF 1856.

An Act to enable the Bombay Government to provide for a due supply of Water for public use in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is necessary to prevent the waste of drinking water in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba, and to empower the Government to prevent the consumption of such water otherwise than as drinking water, and to make an economical disposition of the drinking water in wells and tanks, in order to provide for a due supply of such water for the public during the present year; It is enacted as follows :—

Governor in Council may authorize the Police to take possession of private tanks, &c.

I. It shall be lawful for the Governor of Bombay in Council, in case he shall deem the same to be absolutely necessary for the public safety, at any time before the 1st of August next, to direct the Police to take possession of all or any of the tanks and wells, whether private property or not, throughout the said Town and Islands, containing drinking water, not being tanks or wells in or under an occupied house, and to deepen and improve the same, and to retain possession thereof until the said 1st of August, and during such period to prevent the consumption of the water thereof otherwise than as drinking water, and to superintend the distribution of the water thereof under the orders of Government, or of Officers appointed by Government; and it shall be lawful for the Police, when so ordered, to enter upon the premises in which any such tank or well ordered to be taken possession of by them is situate, and to take possession of the same, and to prevent the consumption of the water thereof otherwise than as drinking water, and to distribute the water thereof in such manner, and in such quantities, and on such conditions as shall from time to time be ordered by Government.

Removal of Cattle.

II. It shall also be lawful for the said Governor in Council to direct by proclamation the removal of any cattle from any part of the said Islands situate to the South of a line drawn from Love Grove on the West to Chinchpooglee on the East shore, and to authorize the Police to enforce the same by seizing and conveying to a public pound any Cattle found to the South of the said line; and the Cattle so seized and the owners thereof shall be dealt with according to the law for the time being in force for the seizure and sale of stray Cattle and the punishment of the owners.

Penalty for obstructing Police, &c.

III. Whoever impedes or obstructs the Police in the discharge of their duty under this Act, or prevents the public or any individual from coming on premises in which any private tank or well ordered to be taken possession of by the Police is situate, for the purpose of taking such water therefrom as shall be allowed by the Police, or prevents the public or any individual from taking and removing such water; and whoever wilfully does any act whereby the water of such well or tank shall be rendered unfit for drinking, or takes water in excess of the quantity allowed, or makes use of the water in any manner contrary to such orders of Government as shall be publicly notified—shall be liable, on conviction in a summary manner before a single Magistrate of Police, to a fine not exceeding one hundred Rupees or imprisonment for a period not exceeding thirty days.

IV. Every owner or tenant of any private tank or well, taken for the use of the public under this Act, and every person who shall sustain loss or injury by reason of any interference with a private right under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to claim compensation from the Municipal Fund of Bombay. In case of any such claim, the amount of such compensation shall be in the first place fixed and tendered by a Committee appointed by the Governor in Council; and in case of the right to compensation being denied, or of no such tender being made, or of the party or parties claiming compensation being dissatisfied with the amount tendered, such party or parties shall be at liberty to sue the Board of Conservancy in the name of their Clerk for compensation in the Supreme Court or the Court of Small Causes in Bombay, as the case may be, and the costs of every such suit shall be in the discretion of the Court trying the same; and any sum of money recovered in any such suit shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund.

Compensation to owners of private tanks and other persons injured.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 423.

Fort William, Home Department,
The 28th February 1856.

Notifications.—The Hon'ble the Court of Directors having suggested, that a column showing the cause of death should be inserted in the Periodical Returns of Deaths furnished by Christian Ministers of all denominations, the Governor General in Council is pleased to require all Medical Officers in charge of Civil Hospitals to state the cause of death in the usual Death Report of Europeans preparatory to interment.

No. 424.

The 7th March 1856.

Mr. S. C. Bayley and Sir M. G. Jackson, Bart, appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors Members of the Civil Service on the Bengal Establishment, reported their arrival at the Presidency on the 4th instant, by the Steam-ship *Bombay.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 725.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 4th March 1856.—Baboo Juggodishnauth Roy, Assistant Superintendent of Salt Chowkies, to be Superintendent of Salt Chowkies in the Midnapore Division. Baboo Juggodishnauth Roy is vested with the powers described in Section XXV. Act XXIX. of 1838.

Mr. E. J. Shuttleworth to be an Assistant Superintendent of Salt Chowkies.

The 5th March 1856.—Mr. R. J. Wigram to be Register of Deeds and Marriage Registrar in the District of Beerbhoom.

Baboo Mohesh Chunder is promoted to the 1st Grade of Moonsiffs and stationed at Sundeep. Baboo Mohesh Chunder is also appointed a Deputy Magistrate in the District of Noacolly. He will exercise the powers of a Covenanted Assistant under Regulations XIII. of 1797 and IX. of 1807 in that District.

The 7th March 1856.—Mr. W. O. A. Beckett, Sub-Assistant to the Commissioner of Assam at Mungledye, is vested with the powers laid down in the 3rd Supplementary Clause of Section I. of the Rules for the administration of Civil Justice in Assam.

The Reverend G. E. Yate to officiate as Chaplain of Kidderpore.

The 8th March 1856.—Dr. F. J. Mouat, Inspector of Jails, Lower Provinces, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate under Regulation XIV. of 1816 within the Jails of the Lower Provinces.

The 10th March 1856.—Major L. H. Hamilton, 87th Fusiliers, to be Private Secretary and Aide-de-Camp to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Moulavy Ally Ahmud, Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, attached to the Revenue Survey of the 1st or North Division, is transferred to Jessore.

Mr. T. C. Pennington to be Sudder Ameen of Dacca and Moonsiff of the Sudder Station of that District.

Moulavy Seediq Ahmed, Moonsiff of Tirmohnee in Jessore, is promoted to the 1st Grade of Moonsiffs.

Baboo Mohesh Chunder Roy, Moonsiff of Cuttack, is promoted to the 1st Grade of Moonsiffs.

Baboo Peary Mohen Banerjee to officiate as Principal Sudder Ameen of Beerbhoom.

Moulavy Sukawut Hossein to officiate as Additional Principal Sudder Ameen of Patna.

Baboo Kooladanundo Mookerjee to officiate as Sudder Ameen of Nuddea and Moonsiff of the Sudder Station of that District.

Pundit Govind Chunder Bidyarutton to officiate as Principal Sudder Ameen of Bancoorah.

Moulavy Ameerooddeen Mahomed to officiate as Additional Principal Sudder Ameen of Chittagong.

Moulavy Ally Newaz to officiate as Sudder Ameen of Chittagong and Moonsiff of the Sudder Station of that District.

Leave of Absence.—The 5th March 1856.—Moulavy Gholam Ushgur, Principal Sudder Ameen of Beerbhoom, for fifteen days, in extension of the leave granted to him on the 4th ultimo.

Moulavy Zuheerooddeen Mahomed, Law Officer of Dacca, for five days, in extension of the leave granted to him on the 27th December last.

The 8th March 1856.—Moulavy Syed Oosman Ullee, Principal Sudder Ameen of Bancoorah, for six weeks, on Medical certificate.

Notification.—The 8th March.—Baboo Ooma Kaunth Sein, late Commissioner in the Soonderbuns, who has retired on a pension, has been permitted, in consideration of his long and good services, to retain, as a personal distinction, the title of Rae Behadoor.

W. GREY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.

No. 1646 of 1856.

Judicial and Revenue Department,

Head Quarters, the 5th March 1856.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. John Adair Craigie, Officiating Civil and Sessions Judge of Mynpoory, for six months, to visit England on private affairs, under Clauses 1 and 2 Section XIV. of the Amended Absentee Rules, with an additional month to enable him to reach and return from the port of embarkation.

The leave to commence from 1st April next.

Appointments.—Mr. Arthur Herbert Cocks to officiate as Civil and Sessions Judge of Mynpoory, during the absence of Mr. Craigie or till further orders.

Mr. John Power to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Mynpoory till further orders.

W. MUIR,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

No. 1469 of 1856.

General Department,

Head Quarters, the 4th March 1856.

Notification.—Erratum.—In Government Order No. 1268, dated 27th ultimo, appointing Lieutenant John Murray Murray, an Aide-de-Camp on the Staff of the Honorable the Lieutenant-Governor, for "16th instant" *read* "19th instant."

No. 1652 of 1856.

Judicial Department,

Agra, the 5th March 1856.

Leave of Absence.—Doobey Jwala Pershaud, Principal Sudder Ameen of Suharunpore, from 17th to 20th March 1856.

G. WILLIAMS, *Major,*
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt., N.W.P.

General Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 10th March 1856.

No. 404 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Foreign Department, are published in General Orders:—

No. 1331, *dated 5th March* 1856.—Ensign C. K. M. Walter, Officiating Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General for the States of Rajpootana, joined his appointment on the 19th ultimo.

No. 1332, *dated 5th March* 1856.—Captain J. B. Dennys assumed the Command of the Kotah Contingent on the 20th ultimo.

No. 1335, *dated 5th March* 1856.—Major S. A. Abbott, Deputy Commissioner in the Punjaub, reported his arrival from England on the Steamer *Bentinck* on the 31st January last, and has obtained leave of absence for two months, under the revised Absentee Rules, from the date of his arrival, to enable him to rejoin his appointment.

No. 1336, *dated 5th March* 1856.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:

Assistant Surgeon C. Thomson, M. D., Bombay Establishment, to have Medical charge of the Bhopal Agency and Contingent, *vice* Assistant Surgeon C. Timins, resigned.

No. 405 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Public Works Department, are published in General Orders:—

Appointments.—No. 47, *dated 28th February* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:

Lieutenant C. W. Hutchinson, of Engineers, to be Assistant to the Chief Engineer in the Punjaub, from the 21st ultimo, in succession to Lieutenant W. A. Crommelin.

No. 48, *dated 28th February* 1856.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:

Lieutenant H. Brownlow, of Engineers, to officiate as Superintendent of the Eastern Jumna Canal, during the absence of Captain W. E. Morton, who has received one month's leave of absence, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe on Medical certificate.

No. 49, *dated 7th March* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel the unexpired portion of the leave of absence granted in General Order No. 903, of the 4th September 1855, to Lieutenant C. J. Mead, of Artillery, Executive Officer, 3rd Division, Dacca and Arracan Road, from the 21st February 1856, the date on which he returned to Akyab.

No. 50, *dated 7th March* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:

Lieutenant C. W. Nightingale, 18th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Executive Officer of the Dalhousie Road.

No. 406 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, is published in General Orders:—

No. 1518, *dated 29th February* 1856.—*Erratum.*—In the Order No. 1326, dated 26th February, appointing Assistant Surgeon James King Walter to be Civil Assistant Surgeon, for "*Benares*" read "*Ghazeepore.*"

No. 407 *of* 1856.—The services of Assistant Surgeon S. Delpratt are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

No. 408 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Gentlemen are admitted to the Service, in conformity with their appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, as Cadets of Infantry on this Establishment, and promoted to the rank of Ensign, the former from the date assigned to him in Government General Order No. 351, of the 29th ultimo, leaving the date of the Commission of the latter for future adjustment:—

Date of Arrival at Fort William.

Infantry.

Mr. Malcolm George Clerk, } 4th March 1856.
Mr. Nelson Ellis, ... }

No. 409 *of* 1856.—The following Orders, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, are confirmed:—

"*No.* 31, *dated* 20*th February* 1856.—With reference to General Order No. 20,* of the 8th instant, Major Orr will be held to have assumed charge of the Cavalry within the range of the Northern Division from the 3rd idem, the date on which he assumed Command of that Division.

* *Vide* Govt. Genl. Order No. 289, dated 21st February 1856.

"*No.* 33, *dated* 23*rd February* 1856.—The Regimental Order by Captain Macintire, Commanding 2nd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, dated the 17th instant, directing Lieutenant Fraser, Acting Second in Command, to officiate as Adjutant to the Corps from that date, in addition to his duties as Second in Command, consequent on Lieutenant Dun's transfer to the 3rd Cavalry."

No. 410 *of* 1856.—The Regimental Order, issued by the Officer Commanding an Infantry Regiment of the Oude Irregular Force, dated 21st February 1856, directing Lieutenant and Second in Command J. A. Dorin to be returned present from that date, and to act as Adjutant in addition to his own duties as Second in Command, is confirmed.

No. 411 *of* 1856.—The following Orders, issued by the Brigadier Commanding the Oude Irregular Force, are confirmed:—

"*No.* 3, *dated* 25*th February* 1856.—Lieutenant J. S. Shepherd, Second in Command of Cavalry, will be pleased to proceed to the Tara Kothee, for the purpose of organizing a Regiment of Irregular Cavalry from the Cavalry of the late Government of Oude. Lieutenant Shepherd will commence enrolling such men as are fit for the Service without loss of time. This Officer is appointed Acting Commandant of Cavalry as a temporary arrangement.

"*No.* 4, *dated* 25*th February* 1856.—Ensign F. W. Graham, Adjutant of Cavalry, will be pleased to proceed to the Tara Kothee, for the purpose of organizing a third Regiment of Irregular Cavalry from the Cavalry of the late Government of Oude. Ensign Graham will commence enrolling such men as are fit for the Service without loss of time. This Officer is appointed Acting Commandant of Cavalry as a temporary arrangement."

No. 412 *of* 1856.—The Regimental Orders issued to the 1st Sikh Local Infantry, dated 8th and 9th February 1856, the former directing that, consequent on the departure of Ensign and Adjutant F. W. Graham to Cawnpore, the Commanding Officer will take charge of the Adjutant's Office from the 8th February, and the latter directing the appointment of Lieutenant W. F. Leicester to act as Adjutant in addition to his duties as Officiating Second in Command, are confirmed.

No. 413 *of* 1856.—The Regimental Order issued to the 1st Regiment Punjaub Cavalry, dated the 7th February 1856, directing Lieutenant W. Fane, Second in Command, to act as Commandant, and Lieutenant and Adjutant J. Watson to act, in addition to his own duties, as Second in Command, both arrangements being consequent on the transfer of Lieutenant G. N. Hardinge to the Oude Irregular Force, and until further orders, is confirmed.

No. 414 *of* 1856.—The Regimental Order issued on the 20th February 1856 to the 2nd Regiment Oude Local Infantry, appointing Lieutenant J. Graydon to act as Second in Command from the 18th ultimo, in addition to his duties as Adjutant, consequent on the removal of Captain Boilean to another appointment, is confirmed.

Fort William, 11*th March* 1856.

No. 415 *of* 1856.—Lieutenant John Moore, of the Invalid Establishment, is allowed leave of absence for three months, from the 25th December 1855 to the 25th March 1856, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for leave of absence on Sick certificate to Europe, under the old Rules.

No. 416 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence on Sick certificate:—

Assistant Surgeon John Francis Tierney, of the Medical Department, Officiating in Medical charge of the Governor General's Body Guard, ... } For three years, under the old Regulations.

No. 417 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

1*st Sikh Local Infantry.*

Lieutenant G. J. Harcourt, of the 1st Madras Fusiliers, to be Adjutant, *vice* Graham, appointed to another situation.

No. 418 *of* 1856.—The services of Assistant Surgeon C. C. W. Wilson are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 419 *of* 1856.—The Regimental Orders dated 26th February 1856, one issued by Lieutenant W. H. Hawes, Commanding the Ukhturee Regiment Oude Irregular Infantry, appointing Lieutenant A. H. B. Bruce, Adjutant, to officiate as Second in Command of the Regiment, in addition to his other duties, and the other by Lieutenant E. W. Hardinge, to the 3rd Regiment Oude Irregular Cavalry, appointing Ensign F. W. Graham, Adjutant, to officiate as Second in Command, in addition to his other duties, during the time Lieutenant Alexander may be employed as Officiating Commandant of the 1st Regiment, or until further orders, are confirmed.

No. 420 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to advance, from the 3rd to the 2nd Class of the "Order of Merit," Ressaidar Ahmed Khan, of the 1st Regiment Scinde Irregular Horse, in consideration of the conspicuous gallantry and devotion displayed by him, on the 24th March 1843, in action against Omeer Shere Muhamed Talpoor at Hyderabad in Scinde.

No. 421 *of* 1856.—The services of Captain James Nowell Young, of the 3rd European Regiment, Assistant Secretary, Military Board Office, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 422 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Captain James Nowell Young, of the 3rd European Regiment, to be a Deputy Judge Advocate General on the Establishment, in succession to Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel H. Cotton, of the 67th Regiment Native Infantry, who vacates that appointment on promotion to a Regimental Majority.

No. 423 *of* 1856.—The services of First Lieutenant A. O. Mayne, of the Regiment of Artillery, are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 424 *of* 1856.—The following Regimental Order, issued by the Officer Commanding the Ukhturee Regiment Oude Irregular Force, is confirmed :—

No. 1, *dated* 26*th February* 1856.—Consequent on the approaching march of the Regiment towards Durriabad, the following Establishment, which is absolutely and urgently required, is entertained from this date, *viz.*, 5 Lascars and 1 Bildar. The 5 Lascars to be thus posted :

Boodhoo Lascar,	...	...	to No.	2 Co.
Bussunt,	"	...	... "	4 "
Kirpal,	"	...	... "	6 "
Matadeen,	"	...	... "	8 "
Nunda Singh,	...	...	"	10 "

The five Lascars entertained in accordance with Brigade Orders No. 1, of the 22nd instant, will now remain attached to one instead of two Companies, *viz.*, to the 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th and 9th Companies. The 2nd or Extra Bildar Oree is entertained from this date.

No. 425 *of* 1856.—The Station Order issued by Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. Birch, Commanding at Seetapore, dated 23rd February 1856, directing Assistant Surgeon Lowdell, in Medical charge of the 2nd Oude Local Infantry, to afford Medical aid to the Regiment in course of being raised by Captain Boileau, is confirmed.

No. 426 *of* 1856.—The leave of absence to visit Kurrachee or Bombay, granted to Major W. G. Prendergast, of the 8th Regiment Light Cavalry, in Government General Order No. 396, of the 7th instant, is commuted to leave to visit Calcutta on the same account, and which is to be held to have effect from the 24th February to the 30th April 1856, instead of the dates announced in the above-mentioned General Order.

R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

DISTRICTS.	*Amounts available on this date.*
* Bogra,	... 1,00,000
Bullooah,	... 30,000
Chittagong,	... 1,50,000
Cuttack, C. D.,	... 50,000
* Dacca,	... 2,50,000
Midnapore,	... 50,000
Pooree,	... 1,00,000
Purneah,	... 40,000
* Tipperah,	... 4,00,000

G. G. MACKINTOSH,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office,
The 11*th Mar.* 1856.

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* N. B.—These Treasuries will be cleared shortly if the amounts available are not taken up in Bills Bills applied for after 2 P. M. will not be issued till the following day.

Government Notification.

THE following Notice is published for general information :—

By order,
ROBERT CHURCH,
Secy. to the Governor.

Singapore, 12th October 1855.

RAFFLES LIGHT HOUSE.

ON and after the 1st of November 1855, a fixed bright Dioptric Light of the third order will be exhibited from sun-set to sun-rise on the Islet called the "Coney" near Barn Island, at the Western entrance of the Straits of Singapore, situated according to the Admiralty Charts, in Latitude 1° 8′ 15″ North and Longitude 103° 45′ 20″ East.

The height of the centre of the Light from high water mark is 105 feet.

The Light will be visible from the decks of vessels at a distance of about 12 nautical miles.

The Light will illuminate about 233 degrees of the horizon, *viz.*, from Saint John's Island, proceeding Southerly to the North-westward near the Sultan Shoal.

Vessels losing the Light when to the Eastward or Westward will thereby be warned of the dangers respectively of Middle Island or of the Sultan Shoal, as laid down in Chart of the Straits of Singapore by Messrs. Congalton and Thomson, corrected up to 1855.

(Signed) J. RUSSELL,
Master Attendant.

Notification.

THE following Estimate of Cash, expected to be available at the under-mentioned Treasuries on the dates and to the extent mentioned, is published for general information. Bills at par and at sight may be had at the General Treasury, payable on those dates, or before, as funds become available ; and to prevent disappointment from the clearing out of Treasuries, parties requiring Bills are requested to communicate with the Accountant, Government of Bengal, at their early convenience.

Bills upon the Treasuries marked (*) may be obtained from the Collectors of Dacca, Moorshedabad, or Patna, to the extent available at the time of application.

This Estimate is published only as a guide to parties interested. The amounts available at the several Treasuries on intermediate dates will be notified as usual in the weekly lists.

Bills available.

Bograh,*	to	1st November,	80,000
		15th January,	1,00,000
		1st April,	70,000
		1st July,	30,000
Bullooah,*	to	1st November,	2,00,000
		15th January,	2,50,000
		1st April,	2,50,000
		1st July,	2,00,000
Tipperah,*	to	10th November,	2,50,000
		15th January,	3,50,000
		1st April,	2,00,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Mymensingh,*		10th November,	1,50,000
		15th January,	2,30,000
		1st April,	1,90,000
		1st July,	60,000
Sylhet,*		20th January,	1,00,000
		1st May,	1,00,000
Pubna,*		1st November,	1,00,000
		15th January,	1,00,000
		1st April,	80,000
Rungpore,*		1st November,	1,80,0000
		15th January,	2,70,000
		1st April,	3,50,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Dinagepore,		1st November,	25,000
		15th January,	4,50,000
		1st April,	5,50,000
		1st July,	1,00,000
Nuddeeah,		1st November,	2,00,000
		15th January,	80,000
		1st April,	20,000
Jessore,		1st November,	3,00,000
		15th January,	3,00,000
		1st April,	3,00,000
Purneeah,		1st November,	1,00,000
		15th January,	3,00,000
		1st April,	4,00,000

EDMUND DRUMMOND,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 9th October 1855.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Friday the 21st, and Saturday the 22nd instant, on account of the Hindoo Holidays, Dole Jattra.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

GENERAL TREASURY,
The 8th March 1856.

Notice.

No. 262½.

IT is hereby notified, that the Authorities at Madras have been advised to discontinue all further shipments to Calcutta of Coast Salt on account of the Bengal Government, and that, therefore, there will be no more Tenders received either at Madras or at this place for the transport of such Salt.

By order of the Board of Revenue,
E. T. TREVOR,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

Fort William,
The 8th March 1856.

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Civil Architect, in his Office in Calcutta, No. 42, Park Street, up to 4 P. M. on Wednesday, 19th instant, for the purchase and removal of the materials composing the Office and Godowns of the Naval Store-keeper, Kidderpore.

Time for Execution three (3) months.

Forms of Tender and further information to be obtained inthe Civil Architect's Office in Calcutta.

A deposit in Cash of Three (3) Hundred Rupees is required with each Tender, returnable on rejection of Tender, or after completion of Contract ; or in the event of non-fulfilment within the stated limit, to be at the disposal of the Civil Architect, to cover expense in completing the removal of materials and rubbish.

C. B. YOUNG, *Captain,*
Civil Architect.

Education Notice.

THE next Meeting of the Committee appointed for the Examination of Candidates for promotion and employment in the Education Department will be held at the Presidency College on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 27th, 28th and 29th instant.

Particulars as to the nature and extent of the Examination, the number of vacancies in the Department, &c. &c., may be obtained on application to the Head Clerk at the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, No. 88, South Collingah Street.

WM. GORDON YOUNG,
Director of Public Instruction.

The 10th March 1856.

Educational Notice.

CANDIDATES for the English Junior Scholarships, which will be awarded at the close of the year 1856-57 to Students of Government and private Educational Institutions, will be expected to pass an Examination in the following subjects:

1. ENGLISH.—The Candidate must be able to read with facility and correctness, and to explain and paraphrase a passage of Prose and one of Poetry, selected from the under-mentioned work:—

Selections from Goldsmith's Works, page 171 to the end. (Calcutta Edition of 1853, printed for the Council of Education.)

He must be well acquainted with the general Rules of English Grammar, and must be able to parse correctly and to correct false Grammar.

2. HISTORY.—He must show a knowledge of the leading features of Modern History from the beginning of the Sixteenth Century, as set forth in Tytler's Elements of General History (Chapters 37 to 76), or in any other similar work.

3. GEOGRAPHY.—He must possess a general knowledge of Geography as contained in the School Books commonly in use, and must be able to sketch outline Maps of the principal Countries of the World, and to indicate upon such Maps the situations of the chief Cities, Rivers and chains of Mountains.

4. MATHEMATICS.—In Arithmetic, he must show a knowledge of Reduction, Proportion, Vulgar and Decimal Fractions, Practice, Simple and Compound Interest, Discount and the Extraction of the Square and Cube Root. In Geometry, he must know the first three books of Euclid; and in Algebra, he must be acquainted with Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication, and Division of Simple Quanties and of Fractions, with the Rules relating to the Greatest Common Measure and the Least Common Multiple, Involution, Evolution, and Simple Equations.

5. NATURAL HISTORY.—He must possess a general knowledge of the habits and characteristics of Vertebrated Animals, as described in Patterson's "Zoology for the use of Schools," or in any other similar work.

6. VERNACULAR.—He must be able to translate correctly into English, from his own Vernacular language, a passage selected from one of the under-mentioned works:—

In Bengali,—Nitibodha.
Charupatha, Part I.
Ditto, Part II.

In Oordoo,—Gool-i-Bakawalee.
Bagh-o-Buhar.

He must also be able to translate from English into one of the above Vernacular Languages, and he must show an acquaintance with the general Rules of Grammar.

WM. GORDON YOUNG,
Director of Public Instruction.

The 8th March 1856.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

IN EQUITY.

John Palmer and others
versus
Edward Brightman and others
and the other Cause.

WHEREAS by an Order made in these Causes on the 17th day of January last, upon the petition of William Ritchie, Esq., Acting Advocate General of the East India Company for the Presidency of Bengal, it was referred to the Master of this Court to approve of a scheme for the application of the Fund now in Court standing to the credit of the Separate Account in these Causes, entitled "Mrs. Anne Bentley," being a Legacy bequeathed by Robert Alexander Bentley, deceased, the Testators in the said petition named to a certain Society called "The Apprenticing Society" (which has now ceased to exist,) as near as may be to the intention of the Testator, regard being had to the Bequest touching the said Apprenticing Society and also to the other Charitable Bequests in the said Will contained; that is to say, to the Calcutta Vestry Fund and the Free School Institution of Calcutta: Notice is hereby given, that all Persons or Societies claiming to be interested under the said Bequest, are to lay the particulars of their respective Claims before William Macpherson, Esq., the said Master of the said Court, at his Office in the Court House, within one month from this date, in order that such Claims may be duly considered in the settlement of the said scheme.

W. MACPHERSON,
Master.

F. C. SANDES,
Attorney for the East India Company.

CALCUTTA SUPREME COURT;
Master's Office,
The 7th day of March 1856.

NOTICE.—In the event of these Dividends remaining unclaimed for six months from this date, they will be paid into the Court

ESTATE NEELRUTTON HALDAR, AN INSOLVENT.
Schedule of Second Unclaimed Dividends.

NAMES OF CREDITORS.	Amount of Claim Co.'s Rs.			2nd Dividend at 10 pr. Cent. 4th Aug. 1855.		
	Co.'s Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Brodacaunt Roy Rajah,	930	0	0	93	0	0
Gourmohun Day and another,	325	0	0	32	8	0
Mudden Mohun Mitter,	1000	0	0	100	0	0
Munnahlaul,	100	0	0	10	0	0
Mackenzie, Lyall and Co,	500	0	0	50	0	0
Rammohun Mookerjee,	143	0	0	14	4	9
Sibchunder Mullick,	900	0	0	90	0	0
Co.'s Rs.,				389	12	9

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ESTATE HENRY BUTLER, AN INSOLVENT.

NAMES OF CREDITORS.	Amount of Claim.			1st Dividend at 33-5-4 per Cent., 4th Aug. 1855.		
	Co.'s Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Bathgate and Co.,	50	0	0	16	10	8
Cornish, Charles,	1 00	0	0	333	5	4
Fowler, Boyd and Co.,	13	0	0	4	5	4
Gopaulchunder Mitter and another,	10	0	0	3	5	4
Muddoosoodun Mullick,	19	0	0	6	5	4
Mendes and Co.,	23	7	6	7	13	2
Watts and Co.,	15	0	0	5	0	0
Co's Rs.,				376	13	2

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JOHN COCHRANE,
Official Assignee.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Thomas Ley Lewsey, of Dhurrumtollah, in Calcutta, late Chief Officer of the Ganges Steam Navigation Company's Steamer *Chunar*, but at present out of employ, an Insolvent. — On Friday, the 22nd day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 5th day of April next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

W. H. and H. H. Poe, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of Sumboochunder Dutt, of No. 44, Seekdarbagan Street, in Shaumpooker, in Calcutta, a Sircar in the Service of Messrs. Steuart and Co., Coach Builders, an Insolvent. — On Wednesday, the 27th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Beeby, *Attorney.*

In the matter of Bebee Maney, of No. 5, Lower Chitpore Road, and Judoonath Dhur, of Bow Bazar, in Calcutta, Inhabitants, lately carrying on trade and business together as Stablekeepers at Bow Bazar, in Calcutta, Insolvents. — On Friday, the 29th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvents should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Beeby, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 4th March 1856.

In the matter of Andrew Edwin Manly, at present of Intally, in the suburbs of Calcutta, late of Chowringhee Road, in Calcutta, and an Assistant employed in the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, an Insolvent. — On Friday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Sherrington, *Attorney.*

In the matter of Ezekiel Joshua, an Insolvent. — On Friday, the 29th day of February last, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge, under the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., as to all persons named in his Schedule as Creditors, or claiming to be Creditors respectively.

Goodall, *Attorney.*

In the matter of John Mackay, an Insolvent. — On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the order made in this matter on the 2nd day of December 1854 be further enlarged, and the further hearing in this matter stand adjourned until Saturday, the 5th day of April next.

Allan and Thomas, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of Prosonocoomar Paul, an Insolvent. — On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent should be discharged personally, as well as to his after acquired property, from all liability for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of John Henry Norman, an Insolvent. — On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the first Saturday in the month of March 1857 be appointed for the further hearing in this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent should be discharged personally, as well as to his after acquired property, from all liability for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Sandes and Watts, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of John Henry Norman, an Insolvent.

In the matter of John Paternoster, an Insolvent.

In the matter of John Andrews, an Insolvent.

In the matter of Edward Blyth, an Insolvent.

In the matter of William Holloway, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, by five several orders of this Court, the said Insolvents were respectively adjudged entitled to their personal discharge, under the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., as to all persons named in their respective Schedules as Creditors, or claiming to be Creditors respectively.

In the matter of Nusseyram Mitter, an Insolvent. — On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge, under the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., as to all persons named in his Schedule as Creditors, or claiming to be Creditors respectively, except the debt of Juggutchunder Paul for Com-

pany's Rupees 200, who appears not to have been served with the notice of the day of hearing in this matter.

Carruthers, *Attorney*.

In the matter of Alexander Hamilton Earle Durnford, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 8th day of March instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge, under the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., as to all persons named in his Schedule as Creditors, or claiming to be Creditors respectively.

Lyons and Bell, *Attorneys*.

In the mattter of Thomas William Brown, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge, under the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., as to all persons named in his Schedule as Creditors, or claiming to be Creditors respectively, except the debt of Messrs. Allan and Hayes, the said opposing Creditor, and as to the claim of the said Messrs. Allan and Hayes, so soon as the said Insolvent shall have been in custody at their suit for the period of six months, to be computed from the date of this order.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of Arrathoon Nicholas, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 8th day of March instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge, under the Act XI. vic. cap. XXI., as to all persons named in his Schedule as Creditors, or claiming to be Creditors respectively, except the debt of Ann Catchick Astwachater, the opposing Creditor, and as to the claim of the said Ann Catchick Astwachater, so soon as the said Insolvent shall have been in custody at her suit for the period of two years, to be computed from the 17th day of October 1855, being the date of the imprisonment of the said Insolvent.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, 11*th March* 1856.

For Dacca and Assam.

THE Steamer *Thames*, with a Flat in tow, will leave on the 20th instant. For Freight and Passage apply at the Government Boat Office.

By order of the Officiating Superintendent of Marine,

J WOODLEY,
Clerk of the Govt. Boat Office.

The 11*th March* 1856.

LIST OF PACKAGES LYING UNCLAIMED ON THE CUSTOM HOUSE WHARF.

Date of Landing.	Mark or Address of Packages.	Ships.
1855 Sept., .. 12th.	5 Boxes Tin, marked I C F.	Typhoon.
Ditto, .. 27th,	1 Small Box Merchandise, C. Mathias,	Blackburn.
Nov., .. 6th,	5 Casks Merchandise, marked H in diamond,	The Duke.
Ditto, .. 14th,	1 Package Merchandise, Lieut. J. Flint, 38th Regt. N. I.,	Cowasjee Family.
Ditto, .. ,,	1 Case marked C Merchandize in diamond, 102 to 106, J. Skinner,	Asia.
Ditto, .. ,,	1 Bale Merchandise, marked K N in triangle, No. 3,	City of London.
Ditto, .. 26th,	1 Case ditto, 7291,	Gloriosa.
December 1st,	1 Case ditto, B J.,	Leocadie St. Anna.
Ditto, .. 5th,	1 Bar Railway Iron, No mark,	Adelaide Belle.
Ditto, .. 6th,	1 Case Brandy, No mark,	Leocadie St. Anna.
Ditto, .. 10th,	12 Cases Gin, marked D. in diamond,	Monarch.
Ditto, .. 15th,	1 Crate, Merchandize, T. and Co.,	Lobelia.
Ditto, .. 20th,	4 Packages ditto, marked D. D., C.	Sutlej.
Ditto, .. ,,	1 box ditto, marked J. H. in diamond,	Albatros.
Ditto, .. 27th,	1 box ditto, Lieut. C. Cookworthy, 37th J. B. H. Artillery	Mary Sparks.
Ditto, .. 29th,	3 Cases ditto, S. E. No. 1,	Leocadie St. Anna.
Ditto, .. ,,	1 case ditto, marked E. M. B. J.	Ditto.
Ditto, .. ,,	1 tin box ditto, Mrs. Cox,	Talavera.
1856 Jan., .. 16th,	12 bags Alum, marked R. in diamond,	Arratoon Apcar.
Ditto, .. ,,	2 Cases Coral, No mark,	Ditto.
Feb., .. 6th,	18 Bundles Ratan,	Alert.
Ditto, .. 12th.	1 Case Champagne, B and E Perrier,	Rouennais.
Ditto, .. 20th,	1 Box Merchandize, S M.,	Eena.
Ditto, .. 23rd,	1 Case ditto, J. G. Gordon, Esq.,	Queen.

CALCUTTA, CUSTOM HOUSE, *The* 11*th Mach* 1856.

A. R. YOUNG,
Offg. Collector of Govt. Customs.

Assam Company.

Dr. *Balance Sheet, 30th September 1855.* *Cr.*

Dividend the First,	157	8	0	J. C. Martin,	398	7	3
Dividend the Second,	8,345	0	0	Deposits,	3,818	8	11
Dividend the Third,	8,715	0	0	Assam Company, London, General Account,	32,296	0	7
Dividend the Fourth,	11,244	0	0	Sales of Tea in India,	22,089	2	8
Dividend the Fifth,	13,750	0	0				
Dividend the Sixth,	17,916	0	0				
Cash,	1,344	10	9				
Provision Stores,	189	8	10				
Advances in Assam,	16,084	6	1				
Juggernauth Ghose, Rice Account,	2,359	14	0				
Nazeerah Treasury,	11,052	4	8				
Bank of Bengal,	17,443	15	1				
Company's Rupees,	1,08,602	3	5	Company's Rupees,	1,08,602	3	5

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Assam Company in Bengal, having carefully examined the above Account, taken from the Books of the said Company, do hereby certify it to be correct.

H. I. Lee,
Richd. Blechynden, } *Auditors.*

T. E. Carter,
Officiating Secretary and Accountant, Assam Company, Bengal.

Calcutta, 4th February 1856.

Receipts and Disbursements of the Assam Company, Bengal Branch, from 1st April to 30th September 1855.

Dr. *Cr.*

To Liabilities as per last Audit,	5,353	13	5	By Cash in hand and other Assets as per last Audit,	31,359	1	8
„ Disbursements in Calcutta,	15,191	10	11	„ Assam Company. London,	1,50,388	13	7
„ Establishment at Gowhatty,	672	0	0	„ Sales of Tea in India,	2,325	7	6
„ Establishment at South Division.	76,536	12	1	„ Provision Stores.	1,005	14	11
„ Establishments at Northern and Eastern Divisions,	11,807	2	7	„ Live Stock,	14	0	0
„ Boat Establishment,	10,092	6	5	„ Claims unsettled payable,	4,217	0	2
„ Mission to Assam,	601	5	0				
„ Commission to Establishment in Assam,	252	12	6				
„ Law Charges,	102	1	11				
„ General Stores.	2,450	2	5				
„ Dividend the Fifth,	40	0	0				
„ Dividend the Sixth,	17,916	0	0				
„ Cash and other Assets,	48,235	2	7				
Company's Rupees,	1,89,301	5	10	Company's Rupees,	1,89,301	5	10

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H. I. Lee,
Richd. Blechynden, } *Auditors.*

T. E. Carter,
Officiating Secretary and Accountant, Assam Company, Bengal.

Calcutta, 4th February 1856.

No. 30.

East-Indian Railway Company.

It is requested that all communications on the business of the East Indian Railway Company, may be addressed to Cecil Stephenson, Esq., Acting Agent, to whom all Bills, Cheques, Hoondies, &c., should be endorsed and made payable, from this date, until further notice.

Payments on account of Traffic are to be made as usual to the Traffic Manager Bengal Division at Howrah.

R. Macdonald Stephenson,
Managing Director and Agent.

29, Theatre Road,
Calcutta, 7th March 1856.

Agra and United Service Bank.

The Government of India having, by Notification of 25th January 1855, signified its intention to dissolve its existing connexion with the Government Agency, the Agra and United Service Bank will, on being furnished with the necessary powers, receive charge of Government Paper and Bank Shares from the Agent, and realize the Interest when due and Dividends when declared. The Bank will also sell or invest in these Securities for Constituents.

Forms of Letters and Powers of Attorney may be obtained on application to the Bank at Calcutta, or its Branches at Agra and Lahore.

When the proceeds of Government Paper or Shares sold, or of Interest and Dividends realized, are remitted by the Bank's Drafts on England, or on its Indian Branches, no Commission will be charged.

If otherwise paid, or when the Paper or Shares are delivered over, the charge for Commission will be ¼ per cent.

Hours of Business.

From and after Wednesday, the 1st August from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when the Bank will be closed at 1 P. M.

Francis R. Neilson,
Secretary.

No. 2, Council-House Street,
Calcutta, 30th January 1855.

Commercial Bank of India—Bombay.

NOTICE is hereby given, that MR. WILLIAM SHELFORD FITZWILLIAM has been appointed Agent for the Calcutta Branch of the Commercial Bank of India,—Bombay.

By order of the Directors,
EDGAR CORRIE,
Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

WITH reference to Government Notification No. 5, Fort William, Financial Department, 26th January 1855, notifying the intention of Government to dissolve its connexion with the Government Agency—

The Oriental Bank Corporation undertake the safe custody of Government Paper, Shares in the Capital Stock of the Bank of Bengal, and other local Stocks, free of all charge.

Will draw Interest and Dividends on the same as they fall due, and remit at the current rates of exchange, or pay the same according to instructions.

If to be remitted through the Corporation, ...	Without charge.
If to be paid in India, a Commission will be charged of ..	1-4th per Cent.
On returning Government Paper or Share Certificates out of safe custody, or if sold, on paying the proceeds of such sale in India, a Commission will be charged of ...	1-4th per Cent.
On the purchase of Government or other Securities, ...	1-4th per Cent.
On the sale of Government Paper or other Stock, the proceeds of which are to be remitted through the Corporation, ...	Without charge.

WM. ANDERSON,
Agent.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION; *Calcutta, 29th January* 1855.

Notice.

THE Partnership heretofore existing, and carried on, under the style or firm of STEWART AND CALROW, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstandings will be settled by WM. C. STEWART.

WM. C. STEWART.
R. F. CALROW,
By his Attorney,
WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta, 31*st December* 1855.

THE undersigned will continue the business as heretofore under the firm of WM. C. STEWART & Co.

Calcutta, 1*st January* 1856. WM. C. STEWART.

Notice.

THE undersigned have this day established themselves as Merchants and General Agents in Calcutta, under the style and firm of Begg, Dunlop and Co.

DAVID BEGG.
HENRY CHRISTIE.
ROBERT DUNLOP.

1*st March* 1856.

Notice.

THE Interest and Responsibility of DR. DAVID BEGG in our Firm ceased on the 29th ultimo, and MR. HUGH MACKINTOSH is this day admitted a Partner.

Calcutta, 1*st March* 1856. BATHGATE AND Co.

Caution.

WHEREAS Shumsoon Nessa Begum, the only surviving daughter and child of Moonshee Hossain Ally, and the Niccatty wife of Moonshee Buzlool Rohim, of Sealdah, the younger son of Moonshee Ameer, having left her husband's protection, and her seal being detained by her said husband, the Public are hereby cautioned from purchasing from her said husband, or from any other person or persons, any Company's Paper or other property of the said Shumsoon Nessa Begum, and that no mark or seal which may be affixed to such Papers or Documents as her mark or seal shall be admissible without bearing the attestation of her constituted Attorney, Mr. ArratoonCarapiet, or being signed and endorsed by him as such her Attorney.

J. TEMPLETON.

اشتهار براي هوشيا ري

چون مسماة شمس النسا بيگم كه صرف دختري منشي حسن علي است وجوزة منكوة منشي بضل الرحيم پسر خورد منشي امير مرحوم ساكن سيالدة حفاظت وپناة شوهر خود ترك گرديدة است و چون مهر شمس النسا بيگم مذكورة بدست شوهرش است بنابران اشتهار هذا براي اگاهي و هوشياري برخاص وعام دادة مي شود كه كسي كاغذ كمپني يا جايداد ديگر بيگم مذكورة خريد نكنيد زيراچه كاغذات كمپني يا دلايل ديگر با مهر و نشان دستخط شمس النسا بيگم مذكورة بغير دستخط مستر آرتن كراپيت صاحب كه مختار شمس النسا بيگم مذكورة اند اگر خريد كنند تا همچنان كاغذ كمپني ود لايل ديگر ناقص و باطل خواهد شد فقط

جي تيمپلي تون

সাবধানের বিজ্ঞাপন।

যেহেতুক সমসুন্নেশা বেগম যিনি মুন্সি হোসেনআলির কেবল এক জীবিত কন্যা মাত্র এবং যাঁহার নিকা সেয়ালদহ নিবাসি মুন্সি আমরের কনিষ্ঠ পুত্র শ্রীযুত বজলল রহিমের সহিত হইয়াছিল তিনি আপন স্বামির আশ্রয় পরিত্যাগ করিয়া গিয়াছেন এবং যেহেতু তাহার মোহর উক্ত স্বামি আটক করিয়া রাখিয়াছেন অতএব সর্ব্ব সাধারণকে এতদ্দ্বারা সাবধান করা যাইতেছে যে উক্ত সমসুন্নেশা বেগমের উক্ত স্বামির নিকট হইতে অথবা অন্য কোন ব্যক্তির নিকট হইতে উক্ত সমসুন্নেশ বেগমের কোন কোম্পানির কাগজ অথবা অন্য কোন জায়দাদ খরিদ না করেন কারণ উক্ত সমসুন্নেশা বেগমের মোক্তার মেষ্টর আরাটুন কেরাপিয়ট্ সাহেবের দস্তখত ব্যতিরেক কোন নিশানি সহি অথবা মোহর যাহা উক্ত কোম্পানির কাগজে কি অন্য কোন দলিলাদিতে করা যাইবেক তাহা গ্রাহ্য হইবেক না ইতি।

জে, টেমপ্লিটান।

LOST.—Second-half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 15319, for 25 Rupees. Payment stopped at the Bank.

Post Office Notifications.

No. 1236

OVERLAND MAIL.

THE Overland Mail, *viâ* Marseilles and Southampton, and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon, Aden, Penang, Singapore, and Hong-Kong,) per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Bombay*, will be closed at this Office on Saturday, the 22nd instant.

Letters for the United Kingdom, directed *viâ* Marseilles, cannot be pre-paid in this Country. Pre-payment of Steam Postage on Letters *viâ* Southampton is optional.

Steam Postage on all Letters for Foreign Europe *viâ* Marseilles or *viâ* Trieste, and for the United Kingdom *viâ* Trieste, as well as for places in the Mediterranean and in Egypt, must be pre-paid, but Letters for Foreign Europe *viâ* Southampton cannot be pre-paid.

Letters for the United Kingdom, directed *viâ* Trieste, if posted unpaid, (or insufficiently paid by Stamps,) will be forwarded to London *viâ* Marseilles. Those for Foreign Europe will be sent to London *viâ* Southampton, bearing the full amount of Postage due thereon, and Letters for places in Egypt and the Mediterranean will be detained and treated as Unclaimed Letters.

No money will be received in payment of Postage on Letters, which must be paid by Stamps.

Letters for Madras, Ceylon, Bombay, Aden, Malacca, Penang, Singapore, and Hong-Kong, despatched by the P. and O. Co.'s Contract Steamer, are chargeable with Steam Postage, the pre-payment being optional.

Letters for the Mauritius, Australian Colonies, China (except Hong-Kong,) Manilla, Batavia, Java, Bourbon, or any place not a British Possession, must be pre-paid by Steam Postage.

With regard to Newspapers and Prices Current the following Abstract of Rules relating to British Postage, chargeable under a Treasury Warrant of 30th June 1855, is published for general information :—

Newspapers or Prices Current posted in India for Great Britain and France are not subject in India to any charge for British Postage, but Newspapers, &c. posted in India, addressed to any British Colony or Possession, or any Foreign Port, or any Port in India, are, if sent by Her Majesty's Mail Steamers, or *viâ* Southampton through England, liable to a Steam Postage charge of One Penny (Nine Pie,) which must be pre-paid in cash. Newspapers, &c. sent through Great Britain *viâ* Marseilles are liable to a Postage charge of Four Pence, and if addressed to British North America *viâ* the United States, a charge of One Penny must be levied on account of the United States in addition to all other Postage.

Newspapers, &c. brought to India by Her Majesty's Packets from a Foreign Port, without having passed through Great Britain, are chargeable with British Postage of One Penny (Nine Pie) on delivery.

Only one paper can be sent in one cover.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM ;
General Post Office,
The 11th March 1856.

Notice.

THE following Rules relating to the Rates of Postage chargeable upon Letters conveyed to or from India by Her Majesty's Mail Steamers are published for general information :—

1. All Notices on the subject which have been previously published are hereby cancelled.

Places to which pre-payment is optional.

2. Letters posted in India, addressed to Great Britain, either *viâ* Southampton or *viâ* Marseilles, or to Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Aden, Ceylon, Singapore, Penang, Malacca, or Hong-Kong, can be pre-paid or not at the option of the sender.

Letters to France cannot be pre-paid.

3. Letters addressed to any place in France, or, through Great Britain, to any Colony, or to any place in Foreign Europe, cannot be pre-paid in India.

Places to which Letters must be pre-paid.

4. Letters addressed to Great Britain *viâ* Trieste, to Malta, Gibraltar, the Ionian Islands, to any place in Egypt or Foreign Europe, except France, to China, except Hong-Kong, or to the Australian Colonies, Manilla, Batavia, Java, Mauritius, Bourbon, or any place not a British Possession, must be pre-paid in India.

Great Britain.
Any Indian Port.
Aden.

5. Unpaid letters addressed, to or paid letters received from any of the places named in the margin, will be despatched or delivered, as the case may be, without any demand for Indian Postage.

Combined rate of Postage.

6. Pre-paid letters addressed to, or unpaid letters received from Great Britain, any Port in India, Singapore, Penang, Malacca, Ceylon, Aden, Hong-Kong, Malta, Gibraltar, the Ionian Islands, Australian Colonies, Mauritius, or any British Colony, the route to which is not through Great Britain, or any Foreign Port the route to which is not through Egypt, will, when conveyed by Her Majesty's Mail Packets, be liable to a combined Indian and English Postage rate of four annas per half ounce, according to the Table given in the margin. This rate of Postage will include Indian Inland Postage as well as British Steam Postage.

	Rs.	As.	P.
Not exceeding ½ an ounce, ...	0	4	0
From ½ an ounce to 1 ounce, ...	0	8	0
From 1 ounce to 2 ounces, ...	1	0	0
Eight Annas to be added for every additional ounce or fraction of an ounce.			

7. Unpaid letters addressed to, or paid letters received from Ceylon or Hong-Kong, except when posted at or delivered in the Presidency towns, will be liable to Indian Inland Postage at the ordinary rates.

8. Letters addressed to Great Britain *viâ* Marseilles, if pre-paid in India or received unpaid for delivery, will be charged according to the scale in margin, an additional tax of four annas per quarter ounce over and above the combined Indian and English rate specified above in Rule 6. Indian Inland Postage will not be chargeable on receipt or on despatch.

Weight.	British and Indian Rate.			Additional Charge.			Total Charge.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Not exceeding ¼ of an Ounce, ...	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	8	0
Ditto ½ of an Ounce, ...	0	4	0	0	8	0	0	12	0
Ditto ¾ of an Ounce, ...	0	8	0	0	12	0	1	4	0
Ditto 1 Ounce, ...	0	8	0	1	0	0	1	8	0

And so on, adding 4 annas for every quarter of an Ounce in addition to the British and Indian rate chargeable on the letter.

9. Letters addressed to Egypt, or sent through Egypt to any place not a British Possession, in Foreign Europe or elsewhere, are liable to Steam Postage of 8 annas per half ounce, and except when posted at or delivered in a Presidency town are liable to Indian Inland Postage in addition to the Steam Postage.

10. When letters on which the combined rate is due or paid are re-directed in India, they will be chargeable with Indian Postage at the ordinary rates.

11. Newspapers and Prices Current brought to India by Her Majestys Packets from a Foreign Port, without having passed through Great Britain, are chargeable with One Penny (9 pie) on delivery.

12. Colonial Newspapers or Prices Current posted in India for Great Britain are not subject in India to any charge for Postage; but Newspapers, posted in India, addressed to any British Coloney or Possession, or any Foreign Port, or any Port in India, are, if sent by Her Majesty's Steamers, or *viâ* Southampton through England, liable to a Postage charge of One Penny (9 pie,) which must be pre-paid. Newspapers sent through Great Britain *viâ* Marseillis are liable to a Postage charge of Four Pence (3 annas,) and if addressed to British North America *viâ* the United States, a further charge of One Penny must be levied on account of the United States, in addition to all other Postage.

13. Newspapers sent or received through Great Britain to or from Peru, Chili, Bolina, Ecuador, the Sandwich Islands, California, Oregon, or any Colony addressed *viâ* Panama, are subject to a Transit charge of 1 anna and a half, which must be paid on despatch or delivery.

14. Newspapers and Prices Current brought to India by Her Majesty's Packets from a Foreign Port, without having passed through Great Britain, are chargeable with One Penny (9 pie) on delivery.

H. B. RIDDELL,

Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, 11*th March* 1856.

Notice.

THE Superintendent of the Electric Telegraph in India having, with the sanction of Government arranged for the transmission by Telegraph, of Messages which may be received through the Deputy Post Master of any place which is not a Telegraph Station, notice is hereby given that persons residing at places at which there is no Electric Telegraph Station can despatch Messages by Electric Telegraph through the Post Office. The Electric Telegraph charge for the Message must be paid in cash to the Post Master or Deputy Post Master; the postage on the cover in which the Message is sent must be pre-paid in Postage Stamps.

A receipt should be taken for the Message and for the Electric Telegraph charge, and the Deputy Post Master should be required to seal the cover of the Message, and obliterate the Postage Stamp upon it, in the presence of the sender of the Message.

H. B. RIDDELL.

Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, 6*th March* 1856.

Notice.

UNDER instructions from the Government of India, the Director General of the Post Office in India has the honor to request, that all Public Officers who may have occasion during the rains to dispatch Books on the Public Service will send them by the ordinary Banghy Post packed in tin, and not by "Book Post" in short paper covers open at both ends.

H. B. RIDDELL,

Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, the 4*th March* 1856.

II. It shall also be lawful for the said Governor in Council to direct by proclamation the removal of any Cattle from any part of the said Islands situate to the south of a line drawn from Love Grove on the west to Chinchpooglee on the east shore, and to authorize the Police to enforce the same by seizing and conveying to a public pound any Cattle found to the south of the said line; and the Cattle so seized and the owners thereof shall be dealt with according to the law for the time being in force for the seizure and sale of stray Cattle and the punishment of the owners.

Removal of Cattle.

III. Whoever impedes or obstructs the Police in the discharge of their duty under this Act, or prevents the public or any individual from coming on premises in which any private tank or well ordered to be taken possession of by the Police is situate, for the purpose of taking such water therefrom as shall be allowed by the Police, or prevents the public or any individual from taking and removing such water; and whoever wilfully does any act whereby the water of such well or tank shall be rendered unfit for drinking, or takes water in excess of the quantity allowed, or makes use of the water in any manner contrary to such orders of Government as shall be publicly notified—shall be liable, on conviction in a summary manner before a single Magistrate of Police, to a fine not exceeding one hundred Rupees or imprisonment for a period not exceeding thirty days.

Penalty for obstructing Police &c.

IV. Every owner or tenant of any private tank or well, taken for the use of the public under this Act, and every person who shall sustain loss or injury by reason of any interference with a private right under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to claim compensation from the Municipal Fund of Bombay. In case of any such claim, amount of such compensation shall be in the first place fixed and tendered by a Committee appointed by the Governor in Council; and in case of the right to compensation being denied, or of no such tender being made, or of the party or parties claiming compensation being dissatisfied with the amount tendered, such party or parties shall be at liberty to sue the Board of Conservancy in the name of their Clerk for compensation in the Supreme Court or the Court of Small Causes in Bombay as the case may be, and the costs of every such suit shall be in the discretion of the Court trying the same; and any sum of money recovered in any such suit shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund.

Compensation to owners of private tanks and other persons injured.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

THOS. JONES, "CALCUTTA GAZETTE" OFFICE.

Numb. 22.

The Calcutta Gazette.

Published by Authority.

Notifications.

THE 14TH MAY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, from the 1st July next, Public Officers employed under this Government are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of the Government Work from and after that date.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE 2ND FEBRUARY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, all Public Officers under the Government of India at the Presidency are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of Government Work.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1856.

Legislative Council.

The 11th March 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Right Honorable the Governor General on the 11th March 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. VII. OF 1856.

An Act to enable the Bombay Government to provide for a due supply of Water for public use in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is necessary to prevent the waste of drinking water in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba, and to empower the Government to prevent the consumption of such water otherwise than as drinking water, and to make an economical disposition of the drinking water in wells and tanks, in order to provide for a due supply of such water for the public during the present year; It is enacted as follows :—

Governor in Council may authorize the Police to take possession of private tanks, &c.

I. It shall be lawful for the Governor of Bombay in Council, in case he shall deem the same to be absolutely necessary for the public safety, at any time before the 1st of August next, to direct the Police to take possession of all or any of the tanks and wells, whether private property or not, throughout the said Town and Islands, containing drinking water, not being tanks or wells in or under an occupied house, and to deepen and improve the same, and to retain possession thereof until the said 1st of August, and during such period to prevent the consumption of the water thereof otherwise than as drinking water, and to superintend the distribution of the water thereof under the orders of Government, or of Officers appointed by Government; and it shall be lawful for the Police, when so ordered, to enter upon the premises in which any such tank or well ordered to be taken possession of by them is situate, and to take possession of the same, and to prevent the consumption of the water thereof otherwise than as drinking water, and to distribute the water thereof in such manner, and in such quantities, and on such conditions as shall from time to time be ordered by Government.

Removal of Cattle.

II. It shall also be lawful for the said Governor in Council to direct by proclamation the removal of any cattle from any part of the said Islands situate to the South of a line drawn from Love Grove on the West to Chinchpooglee on the East shore, and to authorize the Police to enforce the same by seizing and conveying to a public pound any Cattle found to the South of the said line; and the Cattle so seized and the owners thereof shall be dealt with according to the law for the time being in force for the seizure and sale of stray Cattle and the punishment of the owners.

Penalty for obstructing Police, &c.

III. Whoever impedes or obstructs the Police in the discharge of their duty under this Act, or prevents the public or any individual from coming on premises in which any private tank or well ordered to be taken possession of by the Police is situate, for the purpose of taking such water therefrom as shall be allowed by the Police, or prevents the public or any individual from taking and removing such water; and whoever wilfully does any act whereby the water of such well or tank shall be rendered unfit for drinking, or takes water in excess of the quantity allowed, or makes use of the water in any manner contrary to such orders of Government as shall be publicly notified—shall be liable, on conviction in a summary manner before a single Magistrate of Police, to a fine not exceeding one hundred Rupees or imprisonment for a period not exceeding thirty days.

IV. Every owner or tenant of any private tank or well, taken for the use of the public under this Act, and every person who shall sustain loss or injury by reason of any interference with a private right under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to claim compensation from the Municipal Fund of Bombay. In case of any such claim, the amount of such compensation shall be in the first place fixed and tendered by a Committee appointed by the Governor in Council; and in case of the right to compensation being denied, or of no such tender being made, or of the party or parties claiming compensation being dissatisfied with the amount tendered, such party or parties shall be at liberty to sue the Board of Conservancy in the name of their Clerk for compensation in the Supreme Court or the Court of Small Causes in Bombay, as the case may be, and the costs of every such suit shall be in the discretion of the Court trying the same; and any sum of money recovered in any such suit shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund.

Compensation to owners of private tanks and other persons injured.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 1374.

Fort William, Foreign Department,
The 7th March 1856.

The appointment of Lieutenant C. Martin, of the 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, to be Adjutant of the 2nd Regiment of Cavalry, Gwalior Contingent, notified in G. O. dated the 5th ultimo, No. 660, is cancelled at that Officer's request, and his services are re-placed at the disposal of the Military Department.

No. 1428.

Lieutenant J. R. G. Magrath, 1st Madras Native Infantry, has been appointed to officiate as an Assistant Commissioner in the Province of Nagpore.

No. 1429.

The appointment of Captain R. Chester, of the 7th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner at Mergui, is cancelled.

No. 1430.

Mr. C. Raikes, Commissioner Lahore Division, has obtained leave of absence for fifteen days, from the 5th instant, under Section XII. of the new Absentee Rules.

No. 1431.

The 11th March 1856.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to to appoint Lieutenant F. R. Butt, of the Artillery, to the charge of the Huzara Mountain Train.

No. 1432.

Dr. W. F. Mactier, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Simla, made over charge of the Civil and Vaccine duties of that Station to Dr. J. M. Stokes, on the 1st January last.

No. 1433.

The Governor General in Council has received with much satisfaction the reports of the Agent to the Governor General Central India and of Brigadier W. Hill, on the Camp of Exercise which was lately formed at Goonah, and which has just broken up. It is a source of great gratification to His Lordship in Council to find that the objects contemplated in the formation of this Camp have been attained as far as the prescribed period of one month would admit, and that the Contingents have, one and all, exhibited qualities which the isolation of most of them had forbidden the Government to expect.

His Lordship in Council, therefore, cannot allow this opportunity to pass by without expressing his entire satisfaction with the assurance he has received of the general efficiency of the Contingents in the several Arms, and with the attention, alacrity and good conduct of all the Officers and Men who were assembled on the occasion.

The previous character of Brigadier Hill had led the Government to expect much from his Command, and its thanks are now offered to him for the assiduous exertions by which he has realized its expectations.

No. 1481.

The 14th March 1856.

Lieutenant J. E. Cracroft, Assistant Commissioner 1st Class in the Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Settlement Officer in the District of Rawul Pindee, retaining for the present his rank of 1st Class Assistant.

No. 1482.

Lord William Hay, Superintendent of Hill States, has obtained six months' leave of absence, under Section XIV. of the new Absentee Rules. This cancels the leave formerly granted to him, as notified in General Order of the 26th October last, No. 3781.

No. 1483.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following arrangements temporarily, consequent on the departure on sick leave of Major A. Fytche, Deputy Commissioner of Bassein.

Captain C. D. Grant, Deputy Commissioner of Henzadah, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Bassein.

Mr. D. T. Morton, Magistrate of Rangoon, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Henzadah.

Lieutenant Lloyd, Assistant Magistrate of Rangoon, to officiate as Magistrate.

Lieutenant Lloyd received charge of the Magistrate's Office from Mr. Morton on the 15th ultimo.

No. 1484.

Captain C. D. Grant, Deputy Commissioner, Henzadah, received charge of the Bassein District, on the 25th ultimo, from Mr. T. J. Fallon, Extra Assistant.

Mr. D. T. Morton received charge of the Office of Deputy Commissioner of Henzadah from Captain C. D. Grant, on the 20th ultimo.

No. 1485.

Mr. D. Simson, Deputy Commissioner of Leiah, has obtained leave of absence for three months, under Section XII. of the new Rules, from the

15th June next, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it, in the event of his failing to obtain this season the Furlough applied for.

No. 1486.

Lieutenant J. P. Briggs, Deputy Commissioner of Tavoy, resumed charge of the District and Treasury of Tavoy from Captain J. F. J. Stevenson, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, on the 11th ultimo.

Captain J. F. J. Stevenson, Deputy Commissioner, received charge of the District and Treasury of Mergui, from Captain R. Chester, on the 15th ultimo.

No. 1487.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Captain J. E. Fraser, of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry, to be an Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab.

G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 11.

Fort William, Financial Department,

The 14th March 1856.

Appointment.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. H. Ricketts, of the Bengal Civil Service, to be Commissioner for the revision of the Civil Salaries and Establishments throughout India.

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 756.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 5th March 1856.—Mr. T. C. Trotter, Officiating Additional Judge of Behar and Patna, to officiate also as Civil and Sessions Judge of Behar, during the absence of Mr. T. Sandys.

The 8th March 1856.—Captain F. P. Layard to be a Member of the Local Committee of Public Instruction at Berhampore.

The 11th March 1856.—Mr. S. Lushington to be Register of Deeds and Marriage Registrar in the District of Bhaugulpore.

Mr. H. R. Clarke to be Register of Deeds and Marriage Registrar in the District of Pooree.

Mr. A. Wilson to be Register of Deeds and Marriage Registrar in the District of Moorshedabad.

Captain H. C. James to be Register of Deeds and Marriage Registrar at Darjeeling.

The 12th March 1856.—The Hon'ble A. Eden to be Magistrate of Moorshedabad.

Mr. A. R. Thompson to be Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. J. J. Grey to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade.

The 14th March 1856.—Mr. T. C. Loch to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Midnapore.

Mr. D. I. Money to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Rajshahye, but to continue to officiate, until further orders, as Civil and Sessions Judge of the 24-Pergunnahs.

Mr. R. P. Harrison to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Moorshedabad.

Mr. R. N. Shore to be Magistrate, Collector, and Salt Agent of Cuttack, and Assistant to the Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals.

Mr. W. Ainslie to be Railway Commissioner.

Mr. J. R. Muspratt to be Magistrate of Patna, but to continue to officiate until further orders as Collector of Tipperah.

Mr. W. H. Henderson to be Magistrate of Chittagong.

Mr. C. E. Lance to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade.

Leave of Absence.—The 7th March 1856.—The Reverend A. Garstin, Chaplain of Darjeeling, for one month.

The 11th March 1856.—Baboo Jadub Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, in Burdwan, for one month, under Medical certificate, in extension of the leave granted to him on the 7th of January last.

The 12th March 1856.—Moulavy Yar Ally, Law Officer of Purneah, for twenty days, from the 10th instant.

Notification.—The 11th March 1856.—The unexpired portion of the leave granted to Mr. C. S. Belli, Officiating Collector of Hooghly, on the 31st January last, is cancelled from the 4th instant.

The 13th March 1856.—The services of Mr. H. Ricketts have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

The 14th March 1856.—The receipt of the following further subscription to the "Wellington Endowment Fund" is acknowledged.

Baboo Hurry Mohun Sein, ... Rupees 25.

W. GREY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.

No. 1723 of 1856.

Judicial Department,

Agra, the 6th February 1856.

Appointments.—Mr. Ralph John Thyler to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Jounpore.

Mr. George Frederick Harvey to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Goruckpore, but to continue to officiate as Commissioner of the Agra Division.

Mr. Edward Thomas Colvin to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Cawnpore.

No. 1532 of 1856.

Public Works Department,

The 7th March 1856.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Drummond, of the 3rd Light Cavalry, is appointed to the duty of continuing a further exploration of the iron beds along the face of the Kumaon Hills.

No. 1697 of 1856.

Judicial and Revenue Department.

Mr. Charles Theodore LeBas to officiate as Judge of Benares, during the absence on leave of Mr. Frederick Bebb Gubbins, or till further orders.

Mr. Simon Nicolson Martin to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Jounpoor, during the deputation of Mr. C. T. LeBas to Benares, or till further orders.

No. 1702 of 1856.

Judicial Department.

Notification.—Mr. F. C. Forbes, deputed on special duty, is invested with the powers of a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector in the Districts of the Agra and Meerut Divisions, in which he may have occasion to exercise them.

No. 1703 of 1856.

Revenue Department.

Leave of Absence.—Moulvee Abdool Hukeem, Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, in Zillah Seharanpore, for one month, on private affairs, from the date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

Appointment.—Nund Kishore to officiate as Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, and Deputy Magistrate under Act XV. of 1843, with powers of a Covenanted Assistant as describ-. in Section 20, Regulation IX. of 1807, in Zillah Seharanpore, till further orders.

No. 1721 of 1856.

Judicial and Revenue Department,

The 8th March 1856.

Notification.—The services of Mr. James Grant Thomason, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class Hoshungabad, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Foreign Department, from the 28th ultimo.

The appointments of Lieutenant J. C. Wood, to be Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class at Hoshungabad, and Lieutenant W. Nembhard to be Deputy Commissioner 2nd Class at Dumoh, as notified in G. O. No. 1514, dated 29th ultimo, will have effect from the same date.

No. 1722 of 1856,

Appointment.—Mr. Allan Octavian Hume is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Etawah, from the date on which, under the orders of Government, he assumed charge of those Offices, till further orders.

W. Muir,

Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

General Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 12th March 1856.

No. 427 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor Western Provinces, is published in General North-Orders :—

" *No.* 1469, *dated 4th March* 1856.—*Erratum.*—In General Order No. 1268, dated 27th ultimo, appointing Lieutenant John Murray Murray an Aide-de-Camp on the Staff of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, " for 16th instant" read 19*th instant.*

No. 428 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Commissariat Department.

Lieutenant T. H. Sibley, Deputy Assistant of the Second Class, to act as Deputy Assistant of the First Class, during the absence on leave to Europe of Lieutenant W. Williamson.

Lieutenant H. B. Chalmers, Sub-Assistant, to act as Deputy Assistant of the Second Class, *vice* Sibley.

No. 429 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is confirmed :—

" *No.* 36, *dated 25th February* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon F. Day, of the Madras Medical Establishment, having reported his arrival at Bolarum on

the 20th instant, is admitted into the Service from that date, and posted to the 3rd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent."

No. 430 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is pemitted to proceed hence to Europe, on leave of absence, on Sick certificate :—

Second Lieutenant Henry Leeuwin Dempster, of the Madras Artillery, - - - -	For two years, under the old Rules.

Fort William, 13th March 1856.

No. 431 *of* 1856.—With reference to the 8th para. of Government General Order No. 154, of the 30th January 1855, the under-mentioned Cornet, recently posted, is, at his own request, transferred to the Corps opposite to his name :—

Cornet C. H. Fairlie, from the 6th to the 3rd Regiment Light Cavalry, at Meerut, as junior of his rank.

No. 432 *of* 1856.—The following Orders, issued by the Government of Bombay, are confirmed :—

No. 202, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—Lieutenant E. J. Travers, of the 32nd Regiment Bengal Native Infantry, and Second in Command 1st Punjaub Infantry, is allowed a Furlough to Europe for fifteen months, on Medical certificate, under the new Furlough Regulations.

No. 210, *dated* 29*th February* 1856.—Lieutenant E. J. Goodridge, of the Bengal Artillery, is allowed a Furlough to Europe, on Medical certificate, for three years, under the old Furlough Regulations.

No. 433 *of* 1856.—The following Extract of a Letter from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors to the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, No. 24, dated 28th December 1855, is published for general information :—

"We authorize you to grant the Official Rank of Lieutenant Colonel to the Secretary in the Department Public Works, when that Office shall be held by an Officer of inferior Rank."

No. 434 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Infantry are promoted to the rank of Captain by Brevet, from the date expressed opposite to their names :—

48th Regiment Native Infantry.	8th March 1856.
Lieutenant Philip Roe Hockin, ...	
64th Regiment Native Infantry.	
Lieutenant Robert Murray Nott, ...	
35th Regiment Native Light Infantry.	
Lieutenant Edward Robert Wiggins, ...	
47th Regiment Native Infantry.	
Lieutenant George McAndrew, ...	
70th Regiment Native Infantry.	
Lieutenant Francis Chantrey Wiggins, ...	
57th Regiment Native Infantry.	
Lieutenant John Louis Nation,... ...	

No. 435 *of* 1856.—The following Orders are confirmed :—

Regimental Order, dated the 22nd February 1856, issued by Captain Thompson, Commanding 1st Regiment Oude Local Infantry, appointing Lieutenant and Adjutant Clarke, who has rejoined his Regiment, to officiate also as Second in Command in the room of Lieutenant Smith, who has been appointed to another Regiment.

Regimental Order, dated 29th February 1856, issued by Major Troup, Commanding 2nd Regiment Oude Local Infantry, entertaining two Classhies, Jeawun and Khoosail, in consequence of those belonging to the Regiment having been detached.

No. 436 *of* 1856.—That portion of Government General Order No. 177, of the 31st January 1856, by which the services of Lieutenant C. Martin, of the 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, were placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department, is cancelled at the request of that Officer, and his services are accordingly placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 437 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe, on leave of absence, on Sick certificate :—

Lieutenant Robert Alexander, of the 7th Regiment Light Cavalry, ...	For three years, under the old Regulations.

No. 438 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Government of Bombay, is confirmed :—

No. 211, *dated* 29*th February* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers are allowed a Furlough to Europe, on Medical certificate :—

Captain T. B. Ryley, of the Bengal Veteran Establishment, Assistant Commissary of Ordnance, Lahore Depôt,..	For fifteen months, under the new Regulations.
Lieutenant J. Moore, of the Bengal Invalid Establishment,...	For three years, under the old Regulations.
Lieutenant S. D. Turner, of the 21st Regiment Bengal Native Infantry, ...	For three years, under the old Regulations.

No. 439 *of* 1856.—The services of Lieutenant A. Blunt, of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 440 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is confirmed :—

"*No.* 8, *of the* 24*th January* 1856.—Under instructions from the Most Noble the Governor General in Council, Major Orr will proceed immediately and assume the Command of the Northern Division and the Cavalry within that range."

"The Cavalry of the Southern Division will receive its orders from Brigadier Mackenzie, Commanding the Division."

"On the departure of Major Orr, Lieutenant H. Fraser will Command First Company Artillery, and officiate as Commissary of Ordnance, without prejudice to his Regimental appointment." Major Orr assumed Command of the Northern Division on the 3rd February 1856.

Fort William, 14th March 1856.

No. 441 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe, on leave of absence, on Sick certificate :—

Senior Surgeon Hubbersty Maddison Tweddell, of the Medical Department, Garrison Surgeon, Chunar, ...	For twelve months, under the new Regulations.

No. 442 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Government of Bombay, is confirmed :—

"*No.* 216, *dated* 3*rd March* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon T. G. Wrench, of the Bengal Medical Establishment, is allowed a Furlough to Europe, on Medical certificate, for three years, under the old Furlough Regulations."

No. 443 *of* 1856.—Jemadar Phyo Khan, of the 2nd or Hill Regiment Sikh Local infantry, is permitted to resign the Service of the East India Company, from the date of publication of this Order at the Head Quarters of the Corps.

No. 444 *of* 1856.—The following Orders, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, are confirmed :—

No. 32, *dated* 21*st February* 1856.—The services of Lieutenant J. P. Cosserat, 34th Regiment C. L. I., having been placed at the Resident's disposal for employment in the Hyderabad Contingent, that Officer is appointed to act as Second in Command of the 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, at Lingsoogoor, as a temporary arrangement, and will proceed to join without delay.

No. 40, *dated* 27*th February* 1856.—In obedience to instructions from the Government of India, Major Orr will assume Command of all the Troops composing the Hyderabad Contingent, from the 26th instant, the date of Brigadier Mackenzie's departure from Bolarum, till further orders.

No. 41, *dated* 27*th February* 1856.—With reference to General Order No. 40, of this date, directing Major Orr to assume Command of the whole of the Hyderabad Contingent, consequent on Brigadier Mackenzie's departure, the Resident is pleased to direct that, until further orders, Officers Commanding Corps and Departments shall correspond, as hitherto, with the Brigade Major of the range in which their Corps may be serving, the Brigade Major submitting all documents to the Officer Commanding the Contingent.

No. 445 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Gentleman is admitted to the Service, in conformity with his appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors as an Assistant Surgeon on this Establishment :—

Medical Department.	*Date of Arrival at Fort William.*
Mr. Charles Julian Jackson, ...	11th Mar. 1856.

No. 446 *of* 1856.—The appointment of Lieutenant S. Black, of the 37th Regiment Native Infantry, Officiating in the Department Public Works, to act as Second in Command of the 1st Infantry, Punjaub Irregular Force, announced in Government General Order No. 350, of the 28th February 1856, is cancelled at the request of that Officer.

No. 447 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

PUNJAUB IRREGULAR FORCE.

1*st Infantry.*

Lieutenant W. H. Lumsden, of the 68th Regiment Native Infantry, at present Acting Adjutant, to be Adjutant, *vice* Lieutenant Hodgson, who has proceeded on leave to Europe.

2*nd Infantry.*

Ensign W. P. Fisher, of the 3rd Regiment N. I., Acting Adjutant, to be Adjutant, *vice* Lieutenant Chalmers, appointed to the Oude Irregular Force.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

1*st Cavalry.*

Assistant Surgeon H. Giles, Madras Establishment, and in Medical charge of the 5th Infantry, to the Medical charge of the 1st Cavalry, *vice* Dr. D. Macpherson, M. D.

No. 448 *of* 1856.—The appointment of Lieutenant G. C. Rowcroft, of the 41st Regiment, to be Adjutant of Cavalry in the Oude Irregular Force, notified in Orders issued from the Foreign Department, No. 763, of the 11th February 1856, and re-published in General Orders, Military Department, No. 244, of the 12th February 1856, is cancelled at the request of that Officer.

R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Friday the 21st, and Saturday the 22nd instant, on account of the Hindoo Holidays, Dole Jattra.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

GENERAL TREASURY, }
The 8*th March* 1856. }

Notice.

No. 262½.

IT is hereby notified, that the Authorities at Madras have been advised to discontinue all further shipments to Calcutta of Coast Salt on account of the Bengal Government, and that, therefore, there will be no more Tenders received either at Madras or at this place for the transport of such Salt.

By order of the Board of Revenue,

E. T. TREVOR,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

Fort William, }
The 8*th March* 1856. }

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Civil Architect, in his Office in Calcutta, No. 42, Park Street, up to 4 P. M. on Wednesday, 19th instant, for the purchase and removal of the materials composing the Office and Godowns of the Naval Store-keeper, Kidderpoor.

Time for Execution three (3) months.

Forms of Tender and further information to be obtained inthe Civil Architect's Office in Calcutta.

A deposit in Cash of Three (3) Hundred Rupees is required with eachTender, returnable on rejection of Tender, or after completion of Contract; or in the event of non-fulfilment within the stated limit, to be at the disposal of the Civil Architect, to cover expense in completing the removal of materials and rubbish.

C. B. YOUNG, *Captain,*
Civil Architect.

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS from Professional Builders only will be received by the Civil Architect in his Office in Calcutta, up to 4 P. M. on Tuesday, 25th instant, for constructing a Steam Engine-house in the Dock Yard Premises at Kidderpoor.

Time for Execution, (6) six Months.

Specification, Forms of Tender and further information to be obtained from the Civil Architect's Office in Calcutta.

A Deposit in Cash of One Hundred (100) Rupees is required with each Tender,

Tenders not prepared in strict accordance with the "Contract Rules," dated Military Board Office, 28th March 1853, will be returned.

By order of the Chief Engineer, Lower Provinces,

C. B. YOUNG, *Captain,*
Civil Architect.

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS, from Professional Builders only, will be received by the Civil Architect, in his Office in Calcutta, up to 4 P. M., on Thursday, 20th instant, for "enlarging the Great Dock in the Dock Yard Premises at Kidderpoor."

Time for Execution, (6) six Months.

Specification, Forms of Tender, and further information to be obtained from the Civil Architect's Office in Calcutta.

A Deposit in Cash of One Hundred (100) Rupees is required with each Tender.

Tenders not prepared in strict accordance with the "Contract Rules," dated Military Board Office, 28th March 1853, will be returned.

By order of the Chief Engineer, Lower Provinces,

C. B. YOUNG, *Captain,*
Civil Architect.

No. 1669.

Marine Court.

AT a Marine Court assembled on Friday, the 15th day of February, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-six, under Act XXIV. of 1845, Mr. Acting Mate Pilot W. T. Long was tried on the following Charges :—

For breach of duty in the following Instances :—

First Instance.—That, on or about the fourth day of this present month of February, he, the said Acting Mate Pilot William Turnbull Long, presented himself on board the outward-bound French Barque *Louis*, to the Pilotage charge of which he had been appointed, in a state of intoxication, which rendered him incapable of performing his duty.

Second Instance.—That on the following day, while in Pilotage charge of the said outward-bound French Barque *Louis*, he was in such a state of intoxication, that the Commander had to cause him to bring her to an anchor to prevent her being brought into collision with other vessels.

(Signed) J. SUTHERLAND,
Officiating Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM;
Marine Superintendent's Office,
The 8th February 1856.

FINDING.

The Court having maturely weighed and considered the evidence brought forward in support of the Prosecution, together with that adduced on the Defence, is of opinion that Mr. Acting Mate Pilot William Turnbull Long is *Not Guilty* of the First Instance of the Charge.

Guilty of the Second Instance of the Charge.

(Signed) H. PIDDINGTON,
President.

(Signed) D. TAPLEY,
Offg. Judge Advocate.

FORT WILLIAM;
Master Attendant's Office,
The 27th February 1856.

SENTENCE.

The Court having found Mr. Acting Mate Pilot William Turnbull Long *Guilty* of the Second Instance of the Charge, do sentence him, the said Mr. Acting Mate Pilot William Turnbull Long, to lose four steps, and his name to stand on the list below that of Mr. O. Brydges, and above that of Mr. C. J. Little.

(Signed) H. PIDDINGTON,
President.

(Signed) D. TAPLEY,
Offg. Judge Advocate.

FORT WILLIAM;
Master Attendant's Office,
The 27th February. 1856.

2. The Proceedings of the trial having been submitted to Government, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to confirm the Sentence of the Court, and the Officiating Master Attendant has been requested to release Mr. Acting Mate Pilot W. T. Long from arrest, and to place his name on the list of Acting Mate Pilots above that of Mr. C. J. Little and below that of Mr. O. Brydges.

By order of the Officiating Supdt. of Marine.

H. LEWIS,
Offg. Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 14th March 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, one second (1s.) after Mean Noon.

Fort William,
10th March 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, two and three quarters of a seconds (2¾s) after Mean Noon.

C. S. REID, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major

Fort William,
12th March 1856.

Sheriff's Sale, Calcutta, 14th March 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday, the Tenth day of April next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, the Sheriff of Calcutta will put up to Public Sale at the Court House, by Virtue of a Writ of *Fieri Facias* in his hands against the Effects of James Watson and George Macallan Gow Smith—

All and singular, those eighteen thirty-sixth parts or shares, the whole into thirty-six equal and undivided parts or shares, being considered as divided of him the said James Watson, and also all those two full and equal sixteenth parts or shares, the whole into sixteen equal parts or shares being considered as divided of him the said George Macallan Gow Smith, and also all those four thirty-sixth other parts or shares and half of a thirty-sixth part or share, the whole into thirty-six equal and undivided parts or shares being considered as also divided of him the said George Macallan Gow Smith, of, and in all those several and respective Indigo Factories or sets of Works, for the cultivation and manufacture of Indigo, called or known by the respective names or descriptions of Ramnagur Barry, Kristopore, Dhonekhally, Doory, Magoorh, Sakim Magoora and Neiz Nundod, and which said last mentioned several Factories or sets of Works are generally known or called by the name or description of the Ramnagur Indigo Concern, situate in the Zillah of Jessore and Province of Bengal. And also all that like eighteen thirty-sixth parts or shares of him the said James Watson, and two sixteenth parts or shares and four thirty-sixth parts or shares and half of a thirty-sixth part or share of him the said George Macallan Gow Smith, of, and in all other Factories, or Works and Premises annexed to, or comprised in, or forming or hereafter to form part or parcel of the said Ramnagur Indigo Concern, situate in the Zillah of Jessore and Province of Bengal. And also all those eight sixteenth parts or shares, the whole into sixteen equal parts or shares, being considered as divided of him the said James Watson, and also all those four sixteenth parts or shares, the whole being considered as divided as last aforesaid, of him the said George Macallan Gow Smith, of, and in all that Turruff called or known by the name of Turruff Purnandole and Burmatole, being part and parcel of a certain Talook called Hurrypore, lying and being in Pergunnah Mahomedshye, in the District of Jessore and Province of Bengal, and which said Turruff contains twelve Villages called or known by the respective names of Parnandole, Peadangah, Cashnudy, Doyalpore, Luckypore, Burmatole, Ramnagore, Baugdangah, Mirzydangah, Hoordah, Nurdydangah, Saumnagur and Sreemunte Candee, and is subject to the annual Government rent or sudder jumma of Company's Rupees six hundred and twenty-three, fourteen annas and six pie.

The Conditions of Sale may be known by applying at the Sheriff's Office.

J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of an Order of the said Supreme Court, dated the Fourteenth day of February instant, that on Saturday, the Fifteenth day of March now next ensuing, a Court will be holden before Her Majesty's Justices of the said Court, at the Court-House in the Town of Calcutta, in execution of a Writ of *Mandamus* issued out of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer of Pleas at Westminster, for the examination and cross-examination *vivâ voce* on oath of Ludovico Carmichael, the Defendant, and such other Witnesses on the part of the Plaintiff as reside within the Jurisdiction of this Court, and for receiving other proofs therein, pursuant to the Statute in that case made and provided in a certain action now pending in the said Court of Exchequer of Pleas at Westminster, between Alexander Beattie, Plaintiff, and Ludovico Carmichael, Defendant. Dated this 25th day of February 1856.

H. HOLROYD,
Prothonotary.

P. J. PAUL, *Plaintiff's Attorney.*

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal made in a Cause of Louisa Jones against Mary Ann Gonsalves and Robert Jones, the creditors of Mark Jones, late of Creek Row, in the Town of Calcutta, an Assistant in the Adjutant General's Office, who died on or about the Ninth day of February one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, are forthwith to come in and prove their respective debts, before the Master of the said Court at his Office, in the Court-House, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.

W. MACPHERSON,
Master.

OEHME AND BARROW,
Solicitors.

CALCUTTA;
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 14th day of March 1856.

TO BE SOLD, pursuant to a Decree of the Supreme Court at Fort William, dated the 19th day of February 1855, in an Equity Suit, wherein Joychunder Paul Chowdry is Complainant and Kistnokissore Neoghy and others are Defendants by Original Bill, and John Cochrane, Esq., Assignee of Joychunder Paul Chowdry, an Insolvent, is Complainant, and Kistnokissore Neoghy and others are Defendants, by order, to revive, and John Cochrane, Esquire, Assignee of Joychunder Paul Chowdry is Complainant, and Robert Fer-

gusson Ross is Defendant by Supplemental Bill, with the approbation of the Master, at his Office in the Court-House, at noon on Saturday the twenty-ninth day of March instant, the following lands, zemindaries and premises, belonging to the Estate of the said Joychunder Paul Chowdry, an Insolvent, *viz*:—

1. An undivided moiety of all that parcel of land, situate at Sootanooty, in Calcutta, containing by admeasurement eleven Cottahs and eight Chittacks more or less and butted and bounded as follows; that is to say, on the North by a piece or parcel of ground, formerly the property of the late Cossinauth Dutt; on the South by a piece of ground, formerly the property of the late Joyram Ghose; on the East by a piece of ground, formerly the property of the late Gocool Chunder Dutt; and on the West by the Company's Road.

2. One undivided moiety of the talook or zemindary called Dhee Bagaut, situate in Pergunnah Santore, in the District of Jessore, also a Putnee talook of the other undivided moiety in the said talook or zemindary Dhee Bagant, the Putnee being held from Nilcomul Paul Chowdry, in the name of Sonatun Coondoo, in trust for Joychunder Paul Chowdry.

3 One undivided fourth part or share in all that talook or zemindary called Pergunnah Datteah Hossainpore Bagmarah Magoorah, Gholah and Mooragacha, situate in the Zillah of Jessore.

4. One undivided fourth part or share in all that talook or zemindary called Turruff Sidhapassah, situate in the Zillah of Jessore aforesaid.

5. One undivided fourth part or share in all the talook or zemindary called Mouzah Bistnopore, situate in the Zillah of Jessore aforesaid.

Further particulars and condition of sale may be had at the Office of the Master, or at the Office of Mr. H. Swinhoe, Attorney-at-law.

W. MACPHERSON,
Master.

H. SWINHOE, *Attorney.*

CALCUTTA;
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 11th day of March 1856.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Andrew Edwin Manly, at present of Intally, in the suburbs of Calcutta, late of Chowringhee Road, in Calcutta, and an Assistant employed in the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, an Insolvent. } On Friday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Sherrington, *Attorney.*

In the matter of Prosonocoomar Paul, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent should be discharged personally, as well as to his after acquired property, from all liability for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of John Henry Norman, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the first Saturday in the month of March 1857 be appointed for the further hearing in this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent should be discharged personally, as well as to his after acquired property, from all liability for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Sandes and Watts, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 11th March 1856.

In the matter of Shalom Moses Cohen, of Doomtollah, in Calcutta, late a Merchant, an Insolvent. } Notice, that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Thursday, the 20th day of March instant, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent, desirous of opposing such application, must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*"

Goodall, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 13th March 1856.

In the matter of Peter Lawrie Pew, an Insolvent. } On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the Order *Nisi* made in this matter on the 4th day of August last, should be further enlarged to Saturday, the 5th day of April next, so far as relates to the claims of the Oriental Bank and Benares Bank, respectively.

Smoult and Denman, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of Shalom Moses Cohen, of Doomtollah, in Calcutta, late a Merchant, an Insolvent. } Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 13th day of March instant, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Goodall, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 14th March 1856.

For Dacca and Assam.

THE Steamer *Thames*, with a Flat in tow, will leave on the 20th instant. For Freight and Passage apply at the Government Boat Office.

By order of the Officiating Superintendent of Marine,

J WOODLEY,
Clerk of the Govt. Boat Office.

The 11th March 1856.

Report showing the smallest Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee, Jellinghee, and Matabangah Rivers, on the 7th March 1856.

Names of Rivers.	*Smallest Depth of Water.* F.	I.	*Where Shallowest.*
Bhaugiruttee River.			
At its entrance, ...	0	2	
Below the entrance,...	0	2	
From thence to Jungypore, ...	0	2	At Calloopore.
From Jungypore to Sadduckbaugh, ..	1	2	„ Rajarampore.
From Sadduckbaugh to Berhampore. ...	1	6	„ Katteegungah.
From Berhampore to Cutwa. ...	1	4	„ Kalleegunge.
And from Cutwa to Nuddea, ...	1	5	„ Chackoondeeah.
Jellinghee River.			
At its entrance, ..	0	0	Closed.
From thence to Bausemarree, ...	0	0	
From Bausemarree to Teeahkattah,			
From Teeahkattah to Sonatullah,...			
And from Sonatullah to Moisgunge,			
Matabangah River.*			
At its entrance, ...	2	3	
From thence to Haut Boleah, ...	1	10	At Poalberriah.
	2	0	Above Dewangunge.
	2	5	At Akubpore.
From Haut Boleah to Katchikattah, ...	3	2	„ Boleah Entrance.
	2	2	At Bhaugberriah.
	2	0	„ Bausberriah.
	2	2	„ Kattabangah.
	2	3	„ Asmancolly.
	2	3	„ Foolbogadhee.
From Katchikattah to Kishengunge,	2	4	„ Neemtullah.
	2	3	Below Shealmarree.
	2	0	At Ramsoonderpore.
	2	6	Above Jeerat.
	3	0	Below Doorgahpore.
And from Kishengunge to Seebpore,	2	9	„ Gois.

Height of water on Gauge at Berhampore, on the 7th March 1856, + 0 Foot 8 Inches.

J. LANG,

Supdt., Nuddea Rivers.

Kishnaghur,
13th March 1856.

* Since last Report, the channel of this river, at Akubpore has been deepened by the construction of Bandahls and by Kodalies from 2' 3" to 2' 5", and below Doorgahpore from 2' 4" to 3'.

Bank of Bengal,

15TH MARCH 1856.

A MEETING of the Proprietors is requested at the Bank this day at 10 A. M., for the election of a Director in the room of JOHN DEFFELL, ESQ., resigned.

The Poll will close at 3 P. M.

Published by order of the Directors,

J. B. PLUMB,
Secretary and Treasurer

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the Week ending 12th March 1856.

LIABILITIES.

Proprietors' Capital, ...	1,07,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund, ...	1,98,245	8	4
Current Accounts, ...	51,57,128	10	10
Cash Credits Undrawn, ...	14,06,185	11	0
Other Claims, ...	2,42,535	12	1
Bank Notes and Post Bills, ...	1,35,62,698	5	6
Co.'s Rs., ...	3,12,66,793	15	9

ASSETS.

Government Securities, ...	23,11,205	6	4
Dues from Government, ...	13,407	13	2
Mint Certificates, Undue, ...	10,35,379	3	6
Cash, ...	57,37,024	7	2
Loans on Deposit of Securities, +	174,75,675	13	2
Accounts of Credit on ditto, ...	21,79,799	14	7
Government Bills Discounted, ...	1,92,977	7	10
Mercantile Bills ditto, ...	21,58,937	12	0
Dead Stock, ...	1,62,386	2	0
Co.'s Rs., ...	3,12,66,793	15	9

Published by order of the Directors,

J. B. PLUMB,
Secretary and Treasurer.

C. N. COOKE,
Accountant.

Agra and United Service Bank.

THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA having, by Notification of 25th January 1855, signified its intention to dissolve its existing connexion with the Government Agency, the AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK will, on being furnished with the necessary powers, receive charge of Government Paper and Bank Shares from the Agent, and realize the Interest when due and Dividends when declared. The Bank will also sell or invest in these Securities for Constituents.

Forms of Letters and Powers of Attorney may be obtained on application to the Bank at Calcutta, or its Branches at Agra and Lahore.

When the proceeds of Government Paper or Shares sold, or of Interest and Dividends realized, are remitted by the Bank's Drafts on England, or on its Indian Branches, no Commission will be charged.

If otherwise paid, or when the Paper or Shares are delivered over, the charge for Commission will be ¼ per cent.

HOURS OF BUSINESS.

From and after Wednesday, the 1st August from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when the Bank will be closed at 1 P. M.

FRANCIS R. NEILSON,
Secretary.

No. 2, Council-House Street,
Calcutta, 30th January 1855.

Commercial Bank of India—Bombay.

NOTICE is hereby given, that MR. WILLIAM SHELFORD FITZWILLIAM has been appointed Agent for the Calcutta Branch of the Commercial Bank of India,—Bombay.

By order of the Directors,

EDGAR CORRIE,
Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

WITH reference to Government Notification No. 5, Fort William, Financial Department, 26th January 1855, notifying the intention of Government to dissolve its connexion with the Government Agency—

The Oriental Bank Corporation undertake the safe custody of Government Paper, Shares in the Capital Stock of the Bank of Bengal, and other local Stocks, free of all charge.

Will draw Interest and Dividends on the same as they fall due, and remit at the current rates of exchange, or pay the same according to instructions.

If to be remitted through the Corporation, ...	Without charge.
If to be paid in India, a Commission will be charged of ..	1-4th per Cent.
On returning Government Paper or Share Certificates out of safe custody, or if sold, on paying the proceeds of such sale in India, a Commission will be charged of ...	1-4th per Cent.
On the purchase of Government or other Securities, ...	1-4th per Cent.
On the sale of Government Paper or other Stock, the proceeds of which are to be remitted through the Corporation, ...	Without charge.

WM. ANDERSON,
Agent.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION;
Calcutta, 29th January 1855.

Caution.

I hereby give notice, that under and by virtue of a Bill of Sale and Assignment, bearing date the 26th day of September 1855, and made between Samuel Smith, Esquire, formerly of Calcutta, and now of Darjeeling, of the one part, and William Sims, Esquire, of Calcutta, of the other part, the said Samuel Smith, for the considerations therein mentioned, conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate whatsoever and wheresoever, and whether in possession, reversion, remainder, or otherwise unto the said William Sims, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns absolutely and for ever. I therefore caution the public against purchasing or lending money on mortgage of any of the properties of the said Samuel Smith. Dated this 11th day of March 1856.

EDWARD H. SIMS,
Attorney for the said
WILLIAM SIMS.

Notice.

THE Partnership heretofore existing, and carried on, under the style or firm of STEWART AND CALROW, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstandings will be settled by WM. C. STEWART.

WM. C. STEWART.
R. F. CALROW,
By his Attorney,
WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
1st December 1855.

THE undersigned will continue the business as heretofore under the firm of WM. C. STEWART & Co.

WM. C. STEWART.

Calcutta,
1st January 1856.

The Calcutta Steam Tug Association.

Registered under Act No. 43 of 1850.

THE Half-yearly Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Secretaries, on Monday, the 17th Instant, at 12 o'clock noon. The Books and Accounts are open for the Inspection of Shareholders.

GORDON, STUART & Co.,
Secretaries.

Calcutta, 10th March 1856.

Notice.

THE undersigned have this day established themselves as Merchants and General Agents in Calcutta, under the style and firm of Begg, Dunlop and Co.

DAVID BEGG.
HENRY CHRISTIE.
ROBERT DUNLOP.

1st March 1856.

Notice.

THE Interest and Responsibility of DR. DAVID BEGG in our Firm ceased on the 29th ultimo, and MR. HUGH MACKINTOSH is this day admitted a Partner.

BATHGATE AND CO.

Calcutta,
1st March 1856.

LOST.—The first-half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 18970, for Co.'s Rs. 10, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

THE

NEW BENGAL DIRECTORY FOR 1856.

THE Compiler begs to announce that early in the ensuing month he purposes to issue *gratis to* Subscribers a—

SUPPLEMENT TO THE ENTIRE DIRECTORY,

—corrected for all the changes up to the present month. As only a few copies of the DIRECTORY remain on hand, early application for the Work is recommended to be made to the Publishers,

MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK AND CO.

March 10th, 1856.

Post Office Notifications.

No. 1236.

OVERLAND MAIL.

THE Overland Mail, *viâ* Marseilles and Southampton, and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon, Aden, Penang, Singapore, and Hong-Kong,) per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Bombay*, will be closed at this Office on Saturday, the 22nd instant.

Letters for the United Kingdom, directed *viâ* Marseilles, cannot be pre-paid in this Country. Pre-payment of Steam Postage on Letters *viâ* Southampton is optional.

Steam Postage on all Letters for Foreign Europe *viâ* Marseilles or *viâ* Trieste, and for the United Kingdom *viâ* Trieste, as well as for places in the Mediterranean and in Egypt, must be pre-paid, but Letters for Foreign Europe *viâ* Southampton cannot be pre-paid.

Letters for the United Kingdom, directed *viâ* Trieste, if posted unpaid, (or insufficiently paid by Stamps,) will be forwarded to London *viâ* Marseilles. Those for Foreign Europe will be sent to London *viâ* Southampton, bearing the full amount of Postage due thereon, and Letters for places in Egypt and the Mediterranean will be detained and treated as Unclaimed Letters.

No money will be received in payment of Postage on Letters, which must be paid by Stamps.

Letters for Madras, Ceylon, Bombay, Aden, Malacca, Penang, Singapore, and Hong-Kong, despatched by the P. and O. Co.'s Contract Steamer, are chargeable with Steam Postage, the pre-payment being optional.

Letters for the Mauritius, Australian Colonies, China (except Hong-Kong,) Manilla, Batavia, Java, Bourbon, or any place not a British Possession, must be pre-paid by Steam Postage.

With regard to Newspapers and Prices Current the following Abstract of Rules relating to British Postage, chargeable under a Treasury Warrant of 30th June 1855, is published for general information :—

Newspapers or Prices Current posted in India for Great Britain and France are not subject in India to any charge for British Postage, but Newspapers, &c. posted in India, addressed to any British Colony or Possession, or any Foreign Port, or any Port in India, are, if sent by Her Majesty's Mail Steamers, or *viâ* Southampton through England, liable to a Steam Postage charge of One Penny (Nine Pie,) which must be pre-paid in cash. Newspapers, &c. sent through Great Britain *viâ* Marseilles are liable to a Postage charge of Four Pence, and if addressed to British North America *viâ* the United States, a charge of One Penny must be levied on account of the United States in addition to all other Postage.

Newspapers, &c. brought to India by Her Majesty's Packets from a Foreign Port, without having passed through Great Britain, are chargeable with British Postage of One Penny (Nine Pie) on delivery.

Only one paper can be sent in one cover.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

FORT WILLIAM ;
General Post Office,
The 11*th March* 1856.

No. 1250.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per H. C Steamer *Fire Queen*, will be closed at this Office, on Wednesday, the 19th instant.

FORT WILLIAM ;
General Post Office,
The 14*th March* 1856.

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

Notice.

THE Superintendent of the Electric Telegraph in India having, with the sanction of Government arranged for the transmission by Telegraph, of Messages which may be received through the Deputy Post Master of any place which is not a Telegraph Station, notice is hereby given that persons residing at places at which there is no Electric Telegraph Station can despatch Messages by Electric Telegraph through the Post Office. The Electric Telegraph charge for the Message must be paid in cash to the Post Master or Deputy Post Master ; the postage on the cover in which the Message is sent must be pre-paid in Postage Stamps.

A receipt should be taken for the Message and for the Electric Telegraph charge, and the Deputy Post Master should be required to seal the cover of the Message, and obliterate the Postage Stamp upon it, in the presence of the sender of the Message.

H. B. RIDDELL,
Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, 6*th March* 1856.

Notice.

THE following Rules relating to the Rates of Postage chargeable upon Letters conveyed to or from India by Her Majesty's Mail Steamers are published for general information :—

1. All Notices on the subject which have been previously published are hereby cancelled.

Places to which pre-payment is optional.

2. Letters posted in India, addressed to Great Britain, either *viâ* Southampton or *viâ* Marseilles, or to Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Aden, Ceylon, Singapore, Penang, Malacca, or Hong-Kong, can be pre-paid or not at the option of the sender.

Letters to France cannot be pre-paid.

3. Letters sent through Great Britain, to any Colony, or to any place in Foreign Europe, cannot be pre-paid in India.

Places to which Letters must be pre-paid.

4. Letters addressed to Great Britain *viâ* Trieste, to Malta, Gibraltar, the Ionian Islands, to any place in Egypt or Foreign Europe, to China, except Hong-Kong, or to the Australian Colonies, Manilla, Batavia, Java, Mauritius, Bourbon, or any place not a British Possession, must be pre-paid in India.

Great Britain. | Aden.
Any Indian Port. | The Straits' Settlements.

5. Unpaid letters addressed to, or paid letters received from any of the places named in the margin, will be despatched or delivered, as the case may be, without any demand for Indian Postage.

Combined rate of Postage.

6. Pre-paid letters addressed to, or unpaid letters received from Great Britain, any Port in India, Singapore, Penang, Malacca, Ceylon, Aden, Hong-Kong, Malta, Gibraltar, the Ionian Islands, Australian Colonies, Mauritius, or any British Colony, the route to which is not through Great Britain, or any Foreign Port, the route to which is not through Egypt, will, when conveyed by Her Majesty's Mail Packets, be liable to a combined Indian and English Postage rate of four annas per half ounce, according to the Table given in the margin. This rate of Postage will include Indian Inland Postage as well as British Steam Postage.

	Rs.	As.	P.
Not exceeding ½ an ounce, ...	0	4	0
From ½ an ounce to 1 ounce, ...	0	8	0
From 1 ounce to 2 ounces,...	1	0	0

Eight Annas to be added for every additional ounce or fraction of an ounce.

7. Unpaid letters addressed to, or paid letters received from Ceylon or Hong-Kong, except when posted at or delivered in the Presidency towns, will be liable to Indian Inland Postage at the ordinary rates.

8. Letters addressed to or received from Great Britain *viâ* Marseilles, if pre-paid in India or received unpaid for delivery, will be charged, according to the scale in margin, an additional tax of four annas per quarter ounce over and above the combined Indian and English rate specified above in Rule 6. Indian Inland Postage will not be chargeable on receipt or on despatch.

Weight.	Combined British and Indian Rate.			Additional Charge.			Total Charge.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Not exceeding ¼ of an Ounce, ...	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	8	0
Ditto ½ of an Ounce, ...	0	4	0	0	8	0	0	12	0
Ditto ¾ of an Ounce, ...	0	8	0	0	12	0	1	4	0
Ditto 1 Ounce, ...	0	8	0	1	0	0	1	8	0

And so on, adding 4 annas for every quarter of an Ounce in addition to the combined British and Indian rate chargeable on the letter.

9. Letters addressed to Egypt, or sent through Egypt to any place not a British Possession, in Foreign Europe or elsewhere, are liable to Steam Postage of 8 annas per half ounce, which must be pre-paid, and except when posted at or delivered in a Presidency town are liable to Indian Inland Postage in addition to the Steam Postage.

10. When letters on which the combined rate is due or paid are re-directed in India, they will be chargeable with Indian Postage at the ordinary rates in addition to the combined rate.

11. Newspapers and Prices Current brought to India by Her Majesty's Packets from any Foreign Port, except a French Port, without having passed through Great Britain, are chargeable with a Steam Postage rate of One Penny (9 pie) on delivery.

12. Colonial Newspapers or Prices Current, posted in India for Great Britain, are not subject in India to any charge for Steam Postage ; but Newspapers posted in India, addressed to any British Colony or Possession, or any Foreign Port, or any Port in India, are, if sent by Her Majesty's Steamers, or *viâ* Southampton through England, liable to a Steam Postage charge of One Penny (9 pie,) which must be pre-paid. Newspapers sent through Great Britain *viâ* Marseilles are liable to a Steam Postage charge of Four Pence (3 annas,) and if addressed to British North America *viâ* the United States, a further charge of One Penny must be levied on account of the United States, in addition to all other Postage.

13. Newspapers sent or received through Great Britain to or from Peru, Chili, Bolivia, Ecuador, the Sandwich Islands, California, Oregon, or any Colony addressed *viâ* Panama, are subject to a Steam Transit charge of 1 anna and a half, which must be paid on despatch or delivery, in addition to any Indian Postage.

14. The Steam Postage chargeable on *newspapers and every other kind of printed papers* sent to or received from France will be collected in France.

H. B. RIDDELL,

Director General of the Post Office in India.

Calcutta, 11*th March* 1856.

Packets for the reception of Letters by the following Ships are open at this Office :—

Names of Vessels.	Agents.	Intended Departure.	For what Port.	Touching at	Remarks.
Steamer Fiery Cross,	Messrs. Jardine, Skinner and Co., ..	15th March 1856, ..	Penang, Singapore & China.		
Steamer Bombay, ..	P. and O. S. N. Co., ..	23rd Ditto, ..	Suez, ...	Madras, Ceylon & Aden.	
Port Jackson, ..	Messrs. McKillop, Stewart and Co., ..	In a few days, ..	Sydney.		
Ocean Wave, ..	Messrs. J. Borradaile and Co., ..	Ditto, ..	Cape of Good Hope.		

C. K. DOVE,
Deputy Post-master General.

CALCUTTA ;
General Post Office,
The 14th March 1856.

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Notifications.

THE 14TH MAY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, from the 1st July next, Public Officers employed under this Government are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of the Government Work from and after that date.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE 2ND FEBRUARY 1855.—*The Government of Bengal having entered into a Contract with Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co., for the execution of the Government Printing Work, all Public Officers under the Government of India at the Presidency are hereby directed not to employ any other Printing Establishment for the execution of Government Work.*

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1856.

Legislative Council.

The 11th March 1856.

THE following Act, passed by the Legislative Council of India, received the assent of the Right Honorable the Governor General on the 11th March 1856, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. VII. OF 1856.

An Act to enable the Bombay Government to provide for a due supply of Water for public use in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is necessary to prevent the waste of drinking water in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba, and to empower the Government to prevent the consumption of such water otherwise than as drinking water, and to make an economical disposition of the drinking water in wells and tanks, in order to provide for a due supply of such water for the public during the present year; It is enacted as follows:—

Governor in Council may authorize the Police to take possession of private tanks, &c.

I. It shall be lawful for the Governor of Bombay in Council, in case he shall deem the same to be absolutely necessary for the public safety, at any time before the 1st of August next, to direct the Police to take possession of all or any of the tanks and wells, whether private property or not, throughout the said Town and Islands, containing drinking water, not being tanks or wells in or under an occupied house, and to deepen and improve the same, and to retain possession thereof until the said 1st of August, and during such period to prevent the consumption of the water thereof otherwise than as drinking water, and to superintend the distribution of the water thereof under the orders of Government, or of Officers appointed by Government; and it shall be lawful for the Police, when so ordered, to enter upon the premises in which any such tank or well ordered to be taken possession of by them is situate, and to take possession of the same, and to prevent the consumption of the water thereof otherwise than as drinking water, and to distribute the water thereof in such manner, and in such quantities, and on such conditions as shall from time to time be ordered by Government.

Removal of Cattle.

II. It shall also be lawful for the said Governor in Council to direct by proclamation the removal of any cattle from any part of the said Islands situate to the South of a line drawn from Love Grove on the West to Chinchpooglee on the East shore, and to authorize the Police to enforce the same by seizing and conveying to a public pound any Cattle found to the South of the said line; and the Cattle so seized and the owners thereof shall be dealt with according to the law for the time being in force for the seizure and sale of stray Cattle and the punishment of the owners.

Penalty for obstructing Police, &c.

III. Whoever impedes or obstructs the Police in the discharge of their duty under this Act, or prevents the public or any individual from coming on premises in which any private tank or well ordered to be taken possession of by the Police is situate, for the purpose of taking such water therefrom as shall be allowed by the Police, or prevents the public or any individual from taking and removing such water; and whoever wilfully does any act whereby the water of such well or tank shall be rendered unfit for drinking, or takes water in excess of the quantity allowed, or makes use of the water in any manner contrary to such orders of Government as shall be publicly notified—shall be liable, on conviction in a summary manner before a single Magistrate of Police, to a fine not exceeding one hundred Rupees or imprisonment for a period not exceeding thirty days.

IV. Every owner or tenant of any private tank or well, taken for the use of the public under this Act, and every person who shall sustain loss or injury by reason of any interference with a private right under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to claim compensation from the Municipal Fund of Bombay. In case of any such claim, the amount of such compensation shall be in the first place fixed and tendered by a Committee appointed by the Governor in Council; and in case of the right to compensation being denied, or of no such tender being made, or of the party or parties claiming compensation being dissatisfied with the amount tendered, such party or parties shall be at liberty to sue the Board of Conservancy in the name of their Clerk for compensation in the Supreme Court or the Court of Small Causes in Bombay, as the case may be, and the costs of every such suit shall be in the discretion of the Court trying the same; and any sum of money recovered in any such suit shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund.

Compensation to owners of private tanks and other persons injured.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Legislative Council.

The 15th March 1856.

THE following Bill was read a second time in the Legislative Council on the 15th March 1856, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon after the 19th of June next:—

A Bill to enable Session Judges to pass sentence in trials for Rape.

WHEREAS the law, as current in the Presidencies of Fort William in Bengal and Fort St. George, requires that all trials for Rape shall be referred to the Sudder Court, and it is expedient that Session Judges should be empowered to pass sentence in such trials within the limit of the powers vested in them by Clause 7th Section II Regulation LIII. 1803 of the Bengal Code, and Clause 7th Section II Regulation XV. 1803 of the Madras Code: It is enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

I. Clause 3rd Section VI Regulation XVII. 1817 of the Bengal Code, and Clause 3rd Section III Regulation I. 1818 of the Madras Code, are hereby repealed.

Laws repealed.

II. When a person is convicted of the crime of Rape, if the circumstances of the case shall not appear to call for a more severe punishment than imprisonment for seven years with labor in irons, the Session Judge shall himself pass sentence; if he shall think a more severe sentence necessary, he shall refer the trial for the sentence of the Sudder Court.

Session Judges may pass sentence in cases of Rape, or refer trial for sentence of Sudder Court.

W. MORGAN,
Clerk of the Council.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 456.

Fort William, Home Department,
The 14th March 1856.

Notification.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant Mr. Coutts Trotter, of the Civil Service, leave of absence to Europe on Medical certificate for a period of fifteen months, from the date of the sailing of the vessel in which he may embark.

No. 457.

The 18th March 1856.

The Reverend W. W. Phelps, Assistant Chaplain, reported his departure for Europe from Bombay by the Steamer *Ganges* on the 6th instant.

No. 458.

Messrs. A. Hope and O. Toogood, of the Civil Service, reported their departure for England by the Steam-ship *Nubia*, which vessel was left by the Pilot at Sea on the 11th instant.

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1552.

Fort William, Foreign Department,
The 14th March 1856.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Frederick W. Gerber to be Consul at Akyab on the part of the King of Prussia.

No. 1553.

Mr. J. G. Thomason, C. S., to be a Deputy Commissioner of the Third Class in Oude.

No. 1554.

The leave of absence for three months, granted to Lieutenant F. Conybeare, Commandant of Artillery, United Malwa Contingent, in G. O. dated 22nd ultimo, No. 1111, to visit Bombay preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe, is held to be granted under the *old* Regulations.

No. 1555.

The 17th March 1856.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon C. E. Raddock, in Medical charge of the Malwa Bheel Corps, has obtained leave of absence for one year to proceed to England, for the purpose of appearing before the Board of Examiners.

No. 1556.

First Lieutenant A. O. Mayne, of Artillery, to act as Commandant of Artillery, United Malwa Contingent, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant F. Conybeare, or until further orders.

No. 1557.

Lieutenant E. F. Waterman, Second in Command, Malwa Bheel Corps, has obtained forty days' privilege leave, under the new Rules, to proceed to Bombay.

G. F. EDMONSTONE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 12.

Fort William, Financial Department,

The 15th March 1856.

Notification.—Notice is hereby given, that the Salaries, Pay, Batta and Allowances of the Civil, Military and Marine Departments, for the month of March 1856, will be payable as under:—

Military and Marine Departments, on Thursday, the 10th proximo.

Civil Department, on Tuesday, the 15th proximo.

By order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 13.

The 17th March 1856.

Notification.—It appears that it has hitherto been the practice in some Treasuries to treat silver fractions of a Rupee less than Half a Rupee as falling under the operation of Section III. Act XVII. of 1835, which declares the *Rupee, Half Rupee* and *Double Rupee* to be legal tender in satisfaction of all engagements, provided the coin shall not have lost more than 2 per cent. in weight, and provided it shall not have been clipped or filed, or have been defaced, otherwise than by use. But this practice is opposed to Section V. of the same Act, which refers to the *Quarter Rupee*, and provides that it shall be a legal tender in payment of the fractions of a Rupee, without making any provision in regard to loss of weight of the coin. It is therefore notified for general information, that Four and Two-anna Silver Pieces will, in future, be allowed to pass current, so long as they have lost weight only by fair abrasion; but if they have lost weight from *any other cause*, they will be treated as bullion.

By Order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council,

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 786.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—*The 11th March* 1856.—Mr. C. J. Mackenzie to be Assistant to the Magistrate and the Collector of Burdwan.

The 12th March 1856.—Lieutenant G. C. Depree, of the Trigonometrical Survey, to be Ex-Officio Assistant to the Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals.

The following Gentlemen to be Members of the Ferry Fund Committee of Rajshahye:—

Mr. L. S. Jackson.

Mr. Jas. Cockburn.

The 14th March 1856.—Mr. E. Lautour to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Bhaugulpore.

Mr. T. C. Trotter to be Additional Judge of Behar and Patna.

Mr. J. C. Dodgson to be Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Bograh.

Mr. H. Rose to be Magistrate of Rajshahye, but to continue to officiate, until further orders, as Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Bancoorah.

Mr. R. J. Richardson to be Magistrate and Collector of Beerbhoom.

Mr. R. J. Wigram to officiate, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Beerbhoom.

The 17th March 1856.—Mr. S. Delpratt to be Civil Assistant Surgeon of Hazareebaugh.

Leave of Absence.—*The 13th March* 1856.—Dr. A. Fleming, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Sarun, for thirty days, under the Rules passed in the Military Department on the 20th March 1851, making over charge of his duties to the Sub-Assistant Surgeon attached to the Chupra Dispensary.

Notification.—*The 17th March* 1856.—Mr. W. H. Elliott, of the Civil Service, reported his departure from India on the 11th instant, on the Steam-ship *Nubia.*

The services of Mr. G. Hough, Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, attached to the Railway Department, have been placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Foreign Department.

W. GREY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.

No. 1634 of 1856.

General Department,

Agra, the 10th March 1856.

Notification.—The services of Mr. S. Clark, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Ally Ghur, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India from the date at which Dr. Paton may be prepared to give over charge to him of the Office of Post-master General, North-Western Provinces.

No. 1666 of 1856.

Appointments.—Moonshee Shiva Pershad has been appointed on special duty in the Educational Inspection of the Districts of the Benares Circle, from the 16th ultimo.

No. 1795 of 1856.

Judicial and Revenue Department,

The 11th March 1856.

Captain Sir George Parker, Bart., 74th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Cantonment Joint Magistrate and Superintendent of the Abkarree Mehal at Cawnpoor, so long as his Regiment may continue at that Station.

No. 1808 of 1856.

Judicial Department,

The 12th March 1856.

Notification.—Mr. Assistant Surgeon G. Hansbrow, specially employed in superintending the construction of the Bareilly Central Prison, is vested with the powers of a Joint Magistrate as regards offences committed by the convicts in the Prison or their Guards.

No. 1809 of 1856.

Appointment.—Bahadoor Ally, Assistant to the Superintendent, Jawud Neemuch, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate, under Regulation XV of 1843.

W. MUIR,

Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

No. 1626 of 1856.

General Department,

Agra, the 10th March 1856.

Appointments.—The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following Gentlemen to constitute a Committee for superintending the Dispensary at Jawud :—

Colonel George St. Patrick Lawrence, Political Agent at Meywar,—President.

The Superintendent of Jawud Neemuch,—Ex-Officio Member.

The Civil Assistant Surgeon,—Ex-Officio Superintendent and Member.

Bahadoor Ally Khan, Native Assistant, - - - } Members.
Sub-Assistant Surgeon Romesh Chunder Goopto, - - }
Maharaj Madho Sing, of Surwaneea, }
Appajee Vittul, Pundit of Jawud, }

C. P. CARMICHAEL,

Asst. Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

No. 1747 of 1856.

Judicial Department,

Agra, the 10th March 1856.

Notification.—The leave of absence, granted to Sheikh Momin Allee, Principal Sudder Ameen of Meerut, in Orders of the 12th of January 1856, is cancelled.

No. 1797 of 1856.

The 11th March 1856.

Appointment.—Assistant Surgeon James G. Kemp, M. D., attached to the 3rd Irregular Cavalry, to have the Civil Medical charge of the Jail and Establishments at Jhansie.

This appointment is to have effect from the 12th instant.

No. 1817 of 1856.

The 12th March 1856.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. Alfred Lisle M. Phillips, Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Bijnore, from the 20th December 1855 to 9th January 1856.

No. 1835 of 1856.

The 13th March 1856.

Moulvee Inayut Ahmud Khan, Sudder Ameen of Bareilly, for ten days, in March 1856, on urgent private affairs.

By order of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces,

G. WILLIAMS, *Major,*

Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt., N.W.P.

General Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 15th March 1856.

No. 449 *of* 1856.—The following Notifications, from the Foreign Department, are published in General Orders :—

No. 1374, *dated 7th March* 1856.—The appointment of Lieutenant C. Martin, of the 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, to be Adjutant of the 2nd Regiment of Cavalry, Gwalior Contingent, notified in General Order dated the 5th ultimo, No. 660, is cancelled at that Officer's request, and his services are re-placed at the disposal of the Military Department.

No. 1431, *dated 11th March* 1856.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant F. R. Butt, of the Artillery, to the charge of the Hazara Mountain Train.

No. 1432, *dated 11th March* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon W. F. Mactier, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Simla, made over charge of the Civil and Vaccine duties of that Station to Assistant Surgeon J. M. Stokes on the 1st January last.

No. 1433, *dated* 11*th March* 1856.—The Governor General in Council has received with much satisfaction the Reports of the Agent to the Governor General Central India and of Brigadier W. Hill, on the Camp of Exercise which was lately formed at Goonah, and which has just broken up. It is a source of great gratification to His Lordship in Council to find that the objects contemplated in the formation of this Camp have been attained as far as the prescribed period of one month would admit, and that the Contingents have, one and all, exhibited qualities which the isolation of most of them had forbidden the Government to expect.

His Lordship in Council, therefore, cannot allow this opportunity to pass by, without expressing his entire satisfaction with the assurance he has received of the general efficiency of the Contingents in the several Arms, and with the attention, alacrity and good conduct of all the Officers and Men who were assembled on the occasion.

The previous character of Brigadier Hill had led the Government to expect much from his Command, and its thanks are now offered to him for the assiduous exertions by which he has realized its expectations.

No. 1481, *dated* 14*th March* 1856.—Lieutenant J. E. Cracroft, Assistant Commissioner 1st Class in the Punjaub, is appointed to officiate as Settlement Officer in the District of Rawul Pindee, retaining for the present his rank of 1st Class Assistant.

No. 1487, *dated* 14*th March* 1856.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Captain J. E. Fraser, of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry, to be an Assistant Commissioner in the Punjaub.

No. 450 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, issued by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, is published in General Orders:—

No. 1532, *of the* 7*th March* 1856.—Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Drummond, of the 3rd Light Cavalry, is appointed to the duty of continuing a further exploration of the iron beds along the face of the Kamaon Hills.

No. 451 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence on Sick certificate:—

Captain William Spiller Ferris, of the 12th Regiment Native Infantry, 2nd Assistant, Officiating 1st Assistant Military Auditor General, - -	For fifteen months, under the new Regulations.
Lieutenant Charles Thomas Otway Mayne, of the 15th Regiment Native Infantry, -	For eighteen months, under the new Regulations.
Lieutenant Walter Henry Smith, of the 15th Regiment Native Infantry, - - - -	For three years, under the old Regulations.

No. 452 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India has been pleased to appoint Captain C. V. Bowie, of Artillery, to be an Aide-de-Camp on His Lordship's Personal Staff, with effect from the 1st instant.

Fort William, 17*th March* 1856.

No. 453 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

Hospital Steward George James Cooper to be Apothecary, ... Assistant Apothecary Garrett Hogan to be Hospital Steward, ... Hospital Apprentice Stephen Hayes to be Assistant Apothecary, ...	From the 12th December 1855, *vice* Apothecary Edward Harris, deceased.

No. 454 *of* 1856.—The following Notification, from the Home Department, is published in General Orders:—

No. 423, *dated* 28*th February* 1856.—The Hon'ble the Court of Directors having suggested, that a column showing the cause of death should be inserted in the Periodical Returns of Deaths furnished by Christian Ministers of all Denominations, the Governor General in Council is pleased to require all Medical Officers in charge of Civil Hospitals to state the cause of death in the usual Death Report of Europeans preparatory to interment.

No. 455 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Gentlemen are admitted to the Service, in conformity with their appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, as Assistant Surgeons on this Establishment:—

Medical Department.	*Date of Arrival at Fort William.*
Mr. John Martin Coates, ... Mr. Daniel McAuley, M. D.,	13th Mar. 1856.

No. 456 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough on private affairs:—

Major General Thomas Dickinson, Colonel of the 10th Regiment Native Infantry, Lieutenant Colonel George Bruce Michell, of the 40th Regiment Native Infantry,	For three years each, under the old Regulations.

Fort William, 18th March 1856.

No. 457 *of* 1856.—The following Station Order, issued at Deyrah Ishmael Khan by Lieutenant C. P. Keyes, Commanding, is confirmed :—

Dated 7th February 1856.—Consequent on the removal of Conductor T. Newbold to the Ferozepore Magazine, Magazine Serjeant W. Barker is appointed to act as Sub-Conductor and Permanent Conductor in the Deyrah Ishmael Khan Magazine, until the arrival of Officiating Sub-Conductor T. Ryan, or until further orders.

Laboratory-man, Serjeant D. Marshall, will act as Magazine Serjeant in addition to his own duties, during the time Serjeant Barker may be so employed.

The above Order to have effect from this date.

No. 458 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Government of Bombay, is confirmed :—

No. 217, *dated 3rd March* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon J. F. Beatson, M. D. and A. B., of the 6th Regiment Bengal Irregular Cavalry, is allowed a Furlough to Europe on Medical certificate, for three years, under the old Furlough Regulations.

No. 459 *of* 1856.—The Righ Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotion in the Subordinate Grade :—

Army Commissariat Department.

Serjeant Robert Saunders to be Sub-Conductor, from the 5th February 1856, *vice* Sub-Conductor John Hill, transferred to the Pension Establishment.

No. 460 *of* 1856.—The following Orders, issued by the Commissioner of the Province to the Nagpore Irregular Force, are confirmed :—

Dated 25th February 1856.—Lieutenant C. B. Lucie Smith, of the 40th Madras Native Infantry, having resigned, at his own request, the Command of the Detachment at Bhundarrah, Lieutenant J. Nuttall, 17th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, will proceed without delay and assume Command of the Detachment.

Dated 7th March 1856.—Captain J. C. Day, 17th Madras Native Infantry, placed temporarily at the disposal of the Commissioner of the Province of Nagpore by Kamptee Division Orders of the 5th instant, for employment in the Nagpore Irregular Force, having this day reported his arrival, is appointed to officiate as Staff Officer, *vice* Lieutenant A. B. Cumberlege, appointed by General Order by the Governor General, No. 1074, dated 22nd February 1856, to officiate as an Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class in the Nagpore Province.

No. 461 *of* 1856.—Conductor Richard Clarke, of the Ordnance Department, attached to the Rangoon Magazine, is allowed leave of absence for four months, from the date he may have quitted Rangoon to visit Calcutta on Medical certificate.

No. 462 *of* 1856.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council directs that the following paragraph of a Military Letter from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors to the Government of India, No. 8, dated 23rd January 1856, be published in General Orders :—

Letter No. 213, *dated 29th September* 1855.

Government forward correspondence relative to certain questions connected with the new Furlough Regulations and request to be informed as to claims of an Officer to the residue of his Furlough on private affairs when he has been already absent on leave to England on private affairs for six months.

Para. 8. We have to state in reply to your enquiry, that an Officer proceeding on leave to England for six months, retaining his appointment or otherwise, is not to be considered as having taken his authorized Furlough after ten or twenty years, as the case may be, but may, with your permission, be allowed at any time to take the remainder of the two years' authorized Furlough on private affairs.

No. 463 *of* 1856.—The following Order, issued by the Government of Bombay, is confirmed :—

"*No.* 227, *dated 5th March* 1856.—Assistant Surgeon E. D. Silver, M. D., of the Bengal Medical Establishment, is allowed a Furlough to Europe on Medical certificate for eighteen months, under the new Furlough Regulations."

No. 464 *of* 1856.—The Regimental Orders issued on the 18th February and 6th March 1856, the former appointing Lieutenant Carey, Officiating Commandant of the Nadaree Regiment, to perform the duties of Adjutant in addition to his own, and the latter appointing Lieutenant Soppitt to act as Second in Command in addition to his duties as Adjutant, during the time Lieutenant Carey may command the Regiment, are confirmed.

No. 465 *of* 1856.—The under-mentioned Officer, recently posted, is, at his own request, transferred to the Corps specified opposite to his name :—

Ensign R. Eckford, from the 57th to the 10th Regiment Native Infantry, at Futtehgurh, as 5th Ensign.

R. J. H. BIRCH, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
in the Mily. Dept.

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

DISTRICTS.	*Amounts available on this date.*
* Bograh,	... 1,00,000
Bullooah,	... 30,000
Chittagong,	... 1,50,000
Cuttack, C. D.,	... 50,000
Dacca,	... 1,40,000
Midnapore,	... 50,000
Pooree,	... 1,00,000

G. G. MACKINTOSH,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office,
The 18th March 1856.

* N. B.—This Treasury will be cleared shortly if the amount available is not taken up in Bills.

Bills applied for after 2 P. M. will not be issued till the following day.

Notification.

THE following Estimate of Cash, expected to be available at the under-mentioned Treasuries on the dates and to the extent mentioned, is published for general information. Bills at par and at sight may be had at the General Treasury, payable on those dates, or before, as funds become available ; and to prevent disappointment from the clearing out of Treasuries, parties requiring Bills are requested to communicate with the Accountant, Government of Bengal, at their early convenience.

Bills upon the Treasuries marked (*) may be obtained from the Collectors of Dacca, Moorshedabad, or Patna, to the extent available at the time of application.

This Estimate is published only as a guide to parties interested. The amounts available at the several Treasuries on intermediate dates will be notified as usual in the weekly lists.

		Bills available.
Bograh,*	to 1st November,	 80,000
	15th January,	 1,00,000
	1st April,	 70,000
	1st July,	 30,000
Bullooah,*	to 1st November,	 2,00,000
	15th January,	 2,50,000
	1st April,	 2,50,000
	1st July,	 2,00,000
Tipperah,*	to 10th November,	 2,50,000
	15th January,	 3,50,000
	1st April,	 2,00,000
	1st July,	 1,00,000
Mymensingh,*	10th November,	 1,50,000
	15th January,	 2,30,000
	1st April,	 1,90,000
Sylhet,*	1st July,	 60,000
	20th January,	 1,00,000
Pubna,*	1st May,	 1,00,000
	1st November,	 1,00,000
	15th January,	 1,00,000
Rungpore,*	1st April,	 80,000
	1st November,	 1,80,0000
	15th January,	 2,70,000
	1st April,	 3,50,000
Dinagepore,	1st July,	 1,00,000
	1st November,	 25,000
	15th January,	 4,50,000
	1st April,	 5,50,000
	1st July,	 1,00,000
Nuddeeah,	1st November,	 2,00,000
	15th January,	 80,000
	1st April,	 20,000
Jessore,	1st November,	 3,00,000
	15th January,	 3,00,000
	1st April,	 3,00,000
Purneeah,	1st November,	 1,00,000
	15th January,	 3,00,000
	1st April,	 4,00,000

EDMUND DRUMMOND,
Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 9th October 1855.

Notification.

THE Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces, has the honor to request that all Disbursing Officers in Charge of Civil Establishments in the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab will forward, as soon after the 1st May next, as practicable, with their April Abstract, the regular Annual Detailed Statement, containing the names and full particulars of the whole of the Office Establishment; and begs to observe that (with reference to the Orders of Government dated 15th October 1842, published in the *Agra Government Gazette* of the 15th November 1842,) the Audit of the Abstracts for April next will be entirely dependent on the receipt of the required Returns. The submission at the same time of the three separate Lists prescribed for all Uncovenanted Servants, Europeans, East Indians, and of such Natives only as hold appointments of trust and responsibility, employed on their Establishments, are also requested.

E. J. BOLDERO,
Offg. Civil Auditor.

CIVIL AUDITOR'S OFFICE ;
North-Western Provinces, Agra,
The 12th March 1856.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Friday the 21st, and Saturday the 22nd instant, on account of the Hindoo Holidays, Dole Jattra.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

GENERAL TREASURY,
The 8th March 1856.

Notice.

No. 262½.

IT is hereby notified, that the Authorities at Madras have been advised to discontinue all further shipments to Calcutta of Coast Salt on account of the Bengal Government, and that, therefore, there will be no more Tenders received either at Madras or at this place for the transport of such Salt.

By order of the Board of Revenue,

E. T. TREVOR,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

Fort William,
The 8th March 1856.

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Civil Architect, in his Office in Calcutta, No. 42, Park Street, up to 4 P. M. on Wednesday, 19th instant, for the purchase and removal of the materials composing the Office and Godowns of the Naval Store-keeper, Kidderpoor.

Time for Execution three (3) months.

Forms of Tender and further information to be obtained inthe Civil Architect's Office in Calcutta.

A deposit in Cash of Three (3) Hundred Rupees is required with each Tender, returnable on rejection of Tender, or after completion of Contract ; or in the event of non-fulfilment within the stated limit, to be at the disposal of the Civil Architect, to cover expense in completing the removal of materials and rubbish.

C. B. YOUNG, *Captain,*
Civil Architect.

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS from Professional Builders only will be received by the Civil Architect in his Office in Calcutta, up to 4 P. M. on Tuesday, 25th instant, for constructing a Steam Engine-house in the Dock Yard Premises at Kidderpoor.

Time for Execution, (6) six Months.

Specification, Forms of Tender and further information to be obtained from the Civil Architect's Office in Calcutta.

A Deposit in Cash of One Hundred (100) Rupees is required with each Tender,

Tenders not prepared in strict accordance with the "Contract Rules," dated Military Board Office, 28th March 1853, will be returned.

By order of the Chief Engineer, Lower Provinces

C. B. YOUNG, *Captain,*
Civil Architect.

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS, from Professional Builders only, will be received by the Civil Architect, in his Office in Calcutta, up to 4 P. M., on Thursday, 20th instant, for "enlarging the Great Dock in the Dock Yard Premises at Kidderpoor."

Time for Execution, (6) six Months.

Specification, Forms of Tender, and further information to be obtained from the Civil Architect's Office in Calcutta.

A Deposit in Cash of One Hundred (100) Rupees is required with each Tender.

Tenders not prepared in strict accordance with the "Contract Rules," dated Military Board Office, 28th March 1853, will be returned.

By order of the Chief Engineer, Lower Provinces,

C. B. YOUNG, *Captain,*
Civil Architect.

Notice.

ALL persons having claims on, or indebted to the Estate of the late Serjeant Robert Rix, (*alias* Raynor,) of the Regiment of Artillery, late Jailor of the Penitentiary Jail at Hazareebagh, are requested to communicate with the undersigned within one month from this date (post paid,) after which no claims will be attended to.

ED. SISSMORE, *Captain,*
Offg. Pl. Asst. Comr.
of Hazareebagh.

HAZAREEBAGH,
The 12th March 1856.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River half a second (½s.) before Mean Noon.

C. S. REID, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major.

Fort William,
15th March 1856.

Sheriff's Office, the 19th March 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Sessions of *Oyer* and *Terminer* and Gaol Delivery, and also an Admiralty Sessions, will be holden by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Fourteenth day of April next, at 12 o'clock at noon.

The Court will open on the first day of the Sessions at 12 o'clock at noon, and upon each succeeding day precisely at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, of which all persons are required to take notice.

J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস ১৯ মার্চ ১৮৫৬ সাল।

সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে আগামী ১৪ এপরেল ১৮৫৬ সাল সোমবার দুই প্রহরের সময় কলিকাতার ফোর্ট উইলেমের এবং তাহার অন্তঃপাতি যে সকল স্থান তন্নিমিত্তে বঙ্গদেশের ফোর্ট উইলিএমের সুপ্রেম কোর্ট আপন আদালত ঘরে ওয়েরটরমিনর এবং এডমাইরেল্‌টী অর্থাৎ মহাসমুদ্র সম্পর্কীয় মকদ্দমা নিস্পত্তি জন্য এক সেশীয়ান অর্থাৎ মিছিল করিবেন।

এই সেশীয়ান যতকাল পর্য্যন্ত বসিবেক তাহার প্রথম দিবস দুই প্রহরের সময় তাহার পর প্রতি দিবস এগারো ঘন্টার সময় বসিবেক এ বিষয় সকলে স্মরণ রাখুন।

J. H. FERGUSSON,
Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD, pursuant to a Decree of the Supreme Court at Fort William, dated the 19th day of February 1855, in an Equity Suit, wherein Joychunder Paul Chowdry is Complainant and Kistnokissore Neoghy and others are Defendants by Original Bill, and John Cochrane, Esq., Assignee of Joychunder Paul Chowdry, an Insolvent, is Complainant, and Kistnokissore Neoghy and others are Defendants, by order, to revive, and John Cochrane, Esquire, Assignee of Joychunder Paul Chowdry is Complainant, and Robert Fergusson Ross is Defendant by Supplemental Bill, with the approbation of the Master, at his Office in the Court-House, at noon on Saturday, the twenty-ninth day of March instant, the following lands, zemindaries and premises, belonging to the Estate of the said Joychunder Paul Chowdry, an Insolvent, *viz.*:—

1. An undivided moiety of all that parcel of land, situate at Sootanooty, in Calcutta, containing by admeasurement eleven Cottahs and eight Chittacks, more or less, and butted and bounded as follows; that is to say, on the North by a piece or parcel of ground, formerly the property of the late Cossinauth Dutt; on the South by a piece of ground, formerly the property of the late Joyram Ghose; on the East by a piece of ground, formerly the property of the late Gocool Chunder Dutt; and on the West by the Company's Road.

2. One undivided moiety of the talook or zemindary called Dhee Bagaut, situate in Pergunnah Santore, in the District of Jessore; also a Putnee talook of the other undivided moiety in the said talook or zemindary Dhee Bagaut, the Putnee being held from Nilcomul Paul Chowdry, in the name of Sonatun Coondoo, in trust for Joychunder Paul Chowdry.

3 One undivided fourth part or share in all that talook or zemindary called Pergunnah Datteah Hossainpore Bagmarah Magoorah, Gholah and Mooragacha, situate in the Zillah of Jessore.

4. One undivided fourth part or share in all that talook or zemindary called Turruff Sidhapassah, situate in the Zillah of Jessore aforesaid.

5. One undivided fourth part or share in all the talook or zemindary called Mouzah Bistnopore, situate in the Zillah of Jessore aforesaid.

Further particulars and condition of sale may be had at the Office of the Master, or at the Office of Mr. H. Swinhoe, Attorney-at-law.

W. MACPHERSON,
Master.

H. SWINHOE, *Attorney.*

CALCUTTA;
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 11th day of March 1856.

Robert Ross and others *versus* David Cowie, Administrator, &c.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, made in this Cause on, and bearing date the Seventeenth day of January, One thousand Eight hundred and Fifty-six, the Creditors of Thomas Charles Morton, late of Belgrave Square, in the County of Middlesex, in England, Barrister at Law, who died on or about the Twenty-eighth day of August, One thousand Eight hundred and Fifty-five, are hereby required to come in and prove their respective debts before William Macpherson, Esquire, the Master of the said Court, at his Office in the Court House, on or before the Fourteenth day of April next, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

W. MACPHERSON,
Master.

F. C. SANDES,
Compll.'s Atty.

CALCUTTA;
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 14th day of March 1856.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Andrew Edwin Manly, at present of Intally, in the suburbs of Calcutta, late of Chowringhee Road, in Calcutta, and an Assistant employed in the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Sherrington, *Attorney.*

In the matter of Prosonocoomar Paul, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent should be discharged personally, as well as to his after acquired property, from all liability for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of John Henry Norman, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered that the first Saturday in the month of March 1857 be appointed for the further hearing in this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent should be discharged personally, as well as to his after acquired property, from all liability for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Sandes and Watts, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 11*th March* 1856.

In the matter of Andrew Ewin Manly, at present of Intally, in the suburbs of Calcutta, late an Assistant employed in the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, an Insolvent.

Notice, that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Wednesday, the 26th day of March instant, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent, "desirous of opposing such application, must "appear before the said Court at the time and "place aforesaid.*"

Sherrington, *Attorney.*

In the matter of Mackertoom Galoost Mackertoom, formerly of Canton, in China, carrying on trade and business of Merchant and Agent, jointly with one Carrapiet Lucas, otherwise called Carr Lucas, under the style and firm of Messrs. Mackertoom and Company, and lately of Singapore, Merchant and Agent, and now of Wellesley Street, in Calcutta, inhabitant, an Insolvent.

Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 14th day of March instant, and by an order of the same date, the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Templeton and Carrapiet, *Attorneys.*

In the matter of Mackertoom Galoost Mackertoom, formerly of Canton, in China, carrying on trade and business of Merchant and Agent, jointly with one Carrapiet Lucas, otherwise called Carr Lucas, under the style and firm of Messrs. Mackertoom and Company, and lately of Singapore, Merchant and Agent, and now of Wellesley Street, in Calcutta, inhabitant, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 14th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent should be heard on Saturday, the 7th day of June next, and that the said Insolvent should then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Templeton and Carrapiet, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 17th March 1856.

For Dacca and Assam.

THE Steamer *Thames*, with a Flat in tow, will leave on the 20th instant. For Freight and Passage apply at the Government Boat Office.

By order of the Officiating Superintendent of Marine,

J. WOODLEY,
Clerk of the Govt. Boat Office.

The 11th March 1856.

Agra and United Service Bank.

THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA having, by Notification of 25th January 1855, signified its intention to dissolve its existing connexion with the Government Agency, the AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK will, on being furnished with the necessary powers, receive charge of Government Paper and Bank Shares from the Agent, and realize the Interest when due and Dividends when declared. The Bank will also sell or invest in these Securities for Constituents.

Forms of Letters and Powers of Attorney may be obtained on application to the Bank at Calcutta, or its Branches at Agra and Lahore.

When the proceeds of Government Paper or Shares sold, or of Interest and Dividends realized, are remitted by the Bank's Drafts on England, or on its Indian Branches, no Commission will be charged.

If otherwise paid, or when the Paper or Shares are delivered over, the charge for Commission will be ¼ per cent.

HOURS OF BUSINESS.

From and after Wednesday, the 1st August from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when the Bank will be closed at 1 P. M.

FRANCIS R. NEILSON,
Secretary.

No. 2, Council-House Street, Calcutta, 30th January 1855.

Commercial Bank of India—Bombay.

NOTICE is hereby given, that MR. WILLIAM SHELFORD FITZWILLIAM has been appointed Agent for the Calcutta Branch of the Commercial Bank of India,—Bombay.

By order of the Directors,

EDGAR CORRIE,
Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

WITH reference to Government Notification No. 5, Fort William, Financial Department, 26th January 1855, notifying the intention of Government to dissolve its connexion with the Government Agency—

The Oriental Bank Corporation undertake the safe custody of Government Paper, Shares in the Capital Stock of the Bank of Bengal, and other local Stocks, free of all charge.

Will draw Interest and Dividends on the same as they fall due, and remit at the current rates of exchange, or pay the same according to instructions.

If to be remitted through the Corporation, ...	Without charge.
If to be paid in India, a Commission will be charged of ..	1-4th per Cent.
On returning Government Paper or Share Certificates out of safe custody, or if sold, on paying the proceeds of such sale in India, a Commission will be charged of ...	1-4th per Cent.
On the purchase of Government or other Securities, ...	1-4th per Cent.
On the sale of Government Paper or other Stock, the proceeds of which are to be remitted through the Corporation, ...	Without charge,

WM. ANDERSON,
Agent.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION;
Calcutta, 29th January 1855.

Civil Service Annuity Fund.

NOTICE.—A Special General Meeting of Subscribers will be held at the Town Hall on Saturday, the 10th May next, at 4 o'clock P. M., to fill two vacancies in the Management, and to determine on a motion to be brought forward by the Managers for the substitution of the words "Accountant General to the Government of India" in place of the words "Accountant to the Government of Bengal" in the 19th Article of the Rules of the Fund.

By order of the Managers,

E. F. HARRISON,
Offg. Secretary.

C. S. A. F., 17th March 1856.